

124 Seniors To Graduate

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER



JOSEPH STRIPE

Plan Reading Council For COOR District

Representatives from each school district in the COOR area met in the conference room at Kirtland College to make plans for the organization of a reading council for the COOR Area.

A tentative slate of officers were chosen; the structure of the council was discussed; a committee was appointed to draft the by-laws for the new council.

The slate of officers and the by-laws will be presented to the organization at its first regular meeting next fall.

All interested teachers, administrators, and parents are urged to join.

Programs will be planned to meet the varied needs and interests of all concerned.

The name suggested for the new council was the COOR Council of the Michigan Reading Association.

Alumni News

[By Clara Sorenson]

We salute Roy O. Milnes. He was an active interested member of our GHS Alumni and a friendly, all around good citizen of Grayling. Some of you never knew him. I am glad I did.

When he died in 1960 the Board voted to honor him by starting a Student Loan Fund in his name and to give an award yearly to the "Best All Around Good Citizen of the Senior Class." The student we look for is one who does not graduate with a passel of honors but who has been part of the back-bone of the class in participation and well liked by his classmates.

This year the student is Dennis Theaker. Congratulations, Dennis. The teaching staff made the selection and we approve. We are proud to present the award to you.

The plaque, with names engraved, has been moved from the Alumni Room to a display case in the High School. We are truly sorry for the years we were inactive and missed naming students.

Congratulations to Clyde Borchers, Class of '36, for his achievement award.

Good Luck to Carrie Feldhauser Baynham, Class of '27, in her retirement.

A special thank you to Evelyn Klein for her years at GHS and her devotion to the School Library.

WARNING

The Mortar Range, located south of Lake Margrethe and west of Military Road will be used for Mortar firing on 1-2 June 1974.

The Tank Range at Camp Grayling, located north of the North Down River Road and east of the East Branch of the AuSable River will be closed for Range firing 1-2 June 1974.

The Artillery Range at Camp Grayling, located north of County Road 612 and south of the North Branch of the AuSable River, will be used by National Guard Units 28 May - 2 June 1974 for air to ground and artillery range firing.

The Known Distance Ranges, located south west of Lake Margrethe will be used for small arms firing 1-2 June 1974.

These ranges will be closed on above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

Commencement week for 124 Grayling High School seniors begins this Sunday, June 2 with Baccalaureate Services at 8:00 p.m. in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at the new high school.

Pastor Robert J. Barnett of the Calvary Baptist Church will give the Baccalaureate Address.

Class Night featuring the Valedictory, Salutatory, President's Address, the Class Prophecy, Will, History and Giftatory, will be held on Wednesday evening, June 6, at 8:00 p.m., in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium.

Commencement Exercises for the 1974 Class will be held on Friday evening, June 7, at 8:00 in the Grayling Middle School Gym.

Former Superintendent of Schools, Joseph Stripe, will give the main address to the departing seniors.

Mr. Stripe was requested as speaker by the class, as he was instrumental in the planning and construction of the new high school, and the class of '74, will be the first to graduate from the new school.

The 124 seniors, largest class to graduate from Grayling High, will receive their diplomas from William Joseph, President of the Board of Education, and Fraser Dean, Superintendent of Schools.

Pastor Glenn Arnsnoe of the First Baptist Church, Frederic, will give the Invocation and Benediction at the Commencement exercises.

The Class of '74 chose "Make your life more than just long," as their motto. Their class flower is the white carnation, and colors are green and white.

Rep. Ostling For - Against 2 Bills Passed

"The House took one step forward and one step backward this week," was today's comment of State Representative Ralph Ostling (R-Roscommon) regarding House passage of the "open meeting" bill and subsequent passage of the "Campaign reform" bill.

The House this week adopted Sub. HB 4988 on a nearly unanimous vote. As it was sent to the Senate the bill requires that all meetings of all public and governing bodies be open to the public. Shortly before adjourning for the week they also voted approval of Sub. SB 1016, the Campaign Reform Bill.

"As far as I am concerned, the House cancelled the good affect of passage of the open meeting bill by their unbelievably disrespectful passage of a campaign reform bill that is so full of loopholes it actually represents a step backwards in campaign law."

"I was very pleased that House Democrats and Republicans joined together to give approval to the open meeting bill. This bill could be significant to ensuring public faith in [See Ostling page 7]

To Meet

Lovell's Hook and Trigger Club will have their regular monthly meeting June 4. Guest speaker will be Mr. Bill Tarr.

Smokey Says:



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MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE IN GRAYLING

Highlighting the Memorial Day parade were the services held at the "Memorial To All Veterans" monument in front of the County Building, following services at the river in honor of Navy men, and at the cemetery for the other Military branches. Photos depict some of the units in the parade, and services at the Veterans monument. As in past years, the parade and ceremonies, were under the direction of Grayling Post 106, American Legion.

(Avalanche photos)



Students See Natural Resources Needs

By Willard Bosserman, County Extension Director

Students of the Houghton Lake fifth grade and Grayling seventh and eighth graders were given tours which gave them first hand information about some of our current natural resource happenings.

Wednesday the Grayling seventh and eighth graders visited the Grayling township sanitary landfill. They were told that the site will be closed June 1, and all of the refuse from the county will go to the new bi-county sanitary landfill in section four of Maple Forest township.

Grayling township will have refuse containers at the old site for individuals to discard their refuse. Truck loads and commercial haulers will take their loads directly to the new site.

Don Boyer, Jr., working for the Soil Conservation Service explained how the Department of Natural Resources had remodeled Canoe Harbor on the South Branch of the AuSable River. They have stabilized the eroding stream bank and sodded it. A fence was constructed to keep people off the bank and a diversion ditch constructed to control the run-off of water so it would not cause more erosion on the bank.

The Department of Natural Resources also constructed new campsites, one for off street campers and a separate site for canoeists. This is a great improvement over the old facilities.

[See Students page 8]

Need Help For Petunias

Petunias have been ordered for planting and will arrive within the next couple of weeks. In order to pay for them, donations are again being solicited. These may be mailed to Petunia Fund, P.O. Box 490, Grayling, Mich. 49738 or they may be left at the Avalanche office. Business places will be canvassed during the last week of May. Let's all get behind this project and help make Grayling beautiful this summer.

To Assist Assembly Of God Church

Donald L. Cartledge, a graduate from Central Bible College, will be coming to work with the Assembly of God Church this summer. While in college, he worked as a radio announcer, a college news reporter, and was the director of a college outreach to international students at a state university. He resided in Waterville, Ohio before going to college. While here at the Assembly of God Church he will work with the youth and bus program.

Civic Pride is You—Keep Grayling Clean and Green.

At Camp Grayling

Summer Training Dates Announced

With the addition of the 2,700 troops of the 107th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the Ohio National Guard, who will be training here this year, Col. Edmund Rutkowski, Camp Grayling Commander, has issued a revised schedule for the summer encampments.

There will be four encampments this summer with a total of 14,315 guardsmen using the facilities of the sprawling confines of Camp Grayling, with Michigan supplying the major portion.

The first two week training period will be from June 15 to June 29, with a total of 3,112 Michigan guardsmen making the change from citizens to soldiers, for their annual field training.

The period of July 6-20, 1,576 Michigan guardsmen will be joined by 700 U.S. Marine Corps Reserves for a total of 2,276 using the camp facilities.

From July 20 to August 3, the 107th Armored Cavalry Regiment of the Ohio National Guard with a total of 2,700 men will use Camp Grayling for their summer training, being reassigned here by Fifth Army Headquarters in San Antonio, Texas.

The final 2 week training period will be August 3-17, with Michigan's largest contingent numbering 5,689, being joined by 338 Indiana guardsmen, and 200 from the 123 Tac Air Unit from Ohio, for a total of 6,227 winding up summer training.

Earlier this year, Camp Grayling lost the main bodies of the Indiana and Ohio National Guard for their annual training when the governors of these states ordered their guardsmen to train in their home states, due to the national energy crisis.

PROPERTY OWNERS

Support Water Quality—Public Fishing in Lake Margrethe

Special to the Avalanche

Action to help improve water quality and the quality of public fishing in Lake Margrethe was unanimously supported by members of the Lake Margrethe Property Owners Association at their first general meeting of 1974.

Fifty members attended the meeting, held Saturday, May 25, at the Crawford County Building.

To improve water quality, members attending voted to participate in a long-range lake management assistance program for inland lake associations, offered by the Bureau of Water Management of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

In addition, the LMPOA voted to join hands with the Grayling Sportsman's Club to assure sustained operation and maintenance of a new walleye-pike breeding pond planned for the southwest shore of the lake near the Camp Grayling parade ground.

A Northern pike breeding

marsh has already been installed by the DNR in the same area, with the cooperation and support of the Michigan National Guard and the Sportsman's Club.

David MacLean, DNR fish biologist, told the meeting final plans for installing the walleye pond would be completed within the next several weeks, as long as local groups were willing to assume responsibility for continued operation and maintenance.

LMPOA collaboration will be directed by a sub-committee of its Conservation Committee, headed by Cal Brenner and Kenneth Gothro.

President Ralph E. King reported on the success of the LMPOA's efforts during the past year to move the 15-month State legal action in the Bear Mountain controversy closer to a solution in the public interest in Federal Court.

During the year the Association assisted in obtaining a Circuit Court ruling establishing the "legal" lake water level in conformity with the "natural" level, to end a 35-year-old controversy.

Action of the directors in opposing the granting of a club license to Eagles Aerie 3465 at the former Wayside Inn site was overwhelmingly endorsed.

The Association has a current paid membership of 192, with 21 delinquencies and three resignations during the past year.

Absentee Ballots

Absentee voter ballots for the annual school election which will be held June 10 may be picked up at the business office in the Middle School until 2:00 p.m. Saturday, June 8.

Gretzinger Named COOR Superintendent

John H. Gretzinger, Houghton Lake, acting superintendent of the COOR Intermediate School District, was named superintendent of COOR during the regular monthly meeting of the COOR Board of Education, Wednesday, May 8.

The motion to hire Gretzinger as superintendent was made by James Rutledge and supported by Mrs. Lynn Sohn. Gretzinger had been acting superintendent since the death of former superintendent Basil Godbold.

The COOR Board was told that Gretzinger had submitted an application to the DNR Land Division requesting tax reverted land be granted to COOR for permanent facilities. A decision is expected in June or July from the DNR.

COOR is attempting to locate property to construct their own office and Gretzinger was authorized by the COOR Board to investigate and research data regarding a building program on the potential site.

COOR is attempting to locate their offices near the M-18 and I-75 interchange, south of Roscommon.



JACK GRETZINGER

tions from Kirtland Community College's Board of Trustees notifying the COOR Board that the lease for Kirtland's four relocatables used by COOR for offices would be extended one year.

A resolution from the Gerish-Higgins Board of Education expressing appreciation to COOR for services it performs and for savings to taxpayers of the district was read.

The Crawford County Cancer Society

GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES THE HELP OF THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE, GROUPS AND BUSINESSES FOR THEIR ASSISTANCE DURING THE 1974 CRUSADE: THE GRAYLING STATE BANK AND HOLIDAY INN FOR THE KICKOFF LUNCHEON AND EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE CRUSADE.

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[7th Grade]

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Jack Pine's Stump

Last Wednesday, having not much better to do, I stumbled into the Avalanche office and ran into Editor, Whitey Madson, who was busily engaged in trying to get last week's paper into distribution. Now let me tell you that a newspaper editor who has been working since four in the morning is no guy to mess with, much less make "funnies" with. So he told me to get to work and give him a hand, correctly pointing out that I had nothing better to do anyway. Of course he was right, since I long ago learned that Editors are Never Wrong. (In fact I learned that at Michigan State University in some Journalism course taught by a professor who had lost his own newspaper, and thus went into teaching how to run a newspaper.) But I also learned respect and, most of all, deference. So I went to work, folding, stuffing and all that sort of stuff that the usual reader never knows goes on at a weekly newspaper. I tried to tell Whitey that it wasn't my fault he has had five two-section issues in a row, at a time of the year when he would be lucky to have an eight-page issue. All he said was "Go to work, and we'll have lunch when we finish." Well, lunch with Whitey Madson is nothing to be passed up, so I worked. Lord, how I worked! He'd have been a great guy to run a Roman slave galley. In fact, I'm not too sure he isn't running one at the Avalanche. But, be that as it may, in the midst of my labors, he hollers over, "Get your column in early for next week!" "How early?" I asked. "Like Friday," he said. "We're closed Monday." I told him I couldn't think of anything to write about



by Friday, a fact which he didn't disagree with, since he knew I couldn't. But rules are rules and when a Roman galley master lays them down, believe me, I listen. But good. So I have to write about "nothing," which is more or less what I do every week anyway. I told Whitey that, and you know he agreed.

If he wasn't such a nice guy, I think I'd spend my time writing a diary or a Peyton Place - type story about Grayling. But that isn't my style - I hate diaries.

JP.

Well, I assume when this is published, Memorial Day will have come and gone, and that the Eternal Flame will have been re-lit in time for the tourist season. That is, if someone thought to check the igniters when the flame was turned off. Can you imagine igniters trying to light a flame all winter long when there ain't no flame? Oh, Well, I guess somebody will have taken care of the situation. But then I dream a lot.

JP.

Over the weekend most of the work which that bunch of volunteers laboring at the Little Cathedral in the Pines, two miles north of the new high school on Old 27, was completed. Painting of the re-built door was done, a couple hundred pounds of fertilizer was spread, new grass seed scattered around, garden built and planted, a new walk made, and a most spectacular routed sign on a cross-type standard erected. And, happily, some money contributed for flowers and candles. All sorts of people have helped, most of them usually busy at other jobs. Maybe, if I ever find who all of them are, I'll write their names down, something they would undoubtedly violently object to. Such is the way with those who care about others. Many passers-by assume it is a Booster Club project, since many of those who have worked there are wearing the distinctive Booster Club jacket. Well, it isn't a Club project, but then who do that sort of work belong to, or support, the Club anyway. And Grayling has an awful lot of people who care - most of whom belong to the Club and would gladly work on an idea like the restoration of the Little Cathedral. Thank God!

JACK PINE

Kirtland Candidate



Don M. Lance is a candidate for the two year term for Trustee of the Kirtland Community College. Mr. Lance is a 3rd year resident of the Roscommon area. He graduated from Gerrish - Higgins High School. He has attended MSU, CMU, U of M, and Catawba College in North Carolina. He served as pilot in the Air Force during WWII.

Mr. Lance holds a B.S. and an M.A. degree in Educational Administration. He will be working on an Educational Specialist Degree in Educational Administration with an emphasis on Community College Administration at CMU.

Mr. Lance has served education for 21 years, 14 years as a teacher, 7 years as an administrator. He served as special critic of student teachers for CMU for six years.

He worked with Dr. Roger Goerner and Dr. Don Bush of CMU in the original survey conducted to determine the instructional needs of community college in this area.

He loves hunting, fishing and golf. He has golfed in Grayling since the organization of the Country Club here. He has two sons, one a fourth grader in Roscommon Elementary School and the other a pilot with Northwest Orient Airlines.

His wife has also served education for many years and presently commutes to CMU as professor in the Secondary Education Department.

Mr. Lance offers to the college the benefit of his experiences in education and his deep commitment to the value of education as a life time pursuit.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Ladies of the Moose Lodge for bringing food in and also thanks to Pat Mayo and Lillian King for serving the meal.

The Family of Leslie Owens

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The Family of Leslie Owens

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COOR Intermediate School District

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Application for project may be seen in the COOR INTERMEDIATE School office on May 28, 1974, during regular office hours, 8 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.



DRAWING FOR CAR—
Photo shows but a portion of the crowd at the drawing for the car and other prizes at the Black & White. Foodland parking lot on Memorial Day. Betty Madsen of Grayling was the lucky winner of the 1949 antique Plymouth given away by the following downtown merchants, Olson's, Grayling Mercantile, Gambles, Davis Jewelry, Homestead House, Miller Hardware and Black & White.

Earns Degree

Mark T. Hendershot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thane Hendershot, P.O. Box 418, Grayling, is among the 492 students at Grand Valley State College candidates for graduation at the end of the spring term. Mark will graduate with a Bachelor of Science degree. He is a criminal justice major in the College of Arts and Sciences. Graduation will take place at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, June 8, in Grand Valley's Field House on the campus at Allendale.

My Neighbors



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X Jerome M. Weinberg

Jerome M. Weinberg has served on the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College for the past seven years. Weinberg was chairman of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees for one year. His academic background includes the Detroit Business University where he was awarded a Bachelor of Accounts degree. Weinberg also attended the Graduate School of Harvard University, studying in the field of statistics.

He is the owner of the West Branch Steel Company.

He was a member of the West Branch Board of Education and is currently a member of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees.

He has served the West Branch Country Club as a board member and as secretary, treasurer and president.

A veteran of World War II, Weinberg enlisted as a private in 1941, before the outbreak of hostilities. In 1942 he attended Officers Candidate School. In 1944 Weinberg attained the rank of major. He saw five years of active duty, with two years overseas. Following the war, he served six years in the Reserves. Jerome M. Weinberg is married and has three children.



X Robert F. Bovee

Robert F. Bovee's extensive academic background serves him well as a member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College. A graduate of Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, Bovee has also attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Michigan, Michigan State University, Ferris State College and Stanford University.

He has worked for the Crawford AuSable School District for twenty-five years in various capacities which included teaching math, counselor, director of guidance and as chief examiner for the General Educational Development Test Center.

Bovee has been a member of the Grayling Kiwanis Club for twenty-three years and has served his club as secretary, treasurer, vice president, president and as Lt. Governor of the Michigan District. He is also active in the Michigan and American Personnel and Guidance Associations. Bovee is currently president of the Northeast Michigan Personnel and Guidance Association.

A member of the Grayling City Council for seven years, he also served as an advisor to residents of the Selective Service System.

Bovee is married and has two daughters. Mrs. Bovee presently teaches a Fifth Grade class.



X Charles F. Oppy, M.D.

Charles L. Oppy, M.D. is a veteran member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College, having served on the board since the inception of the college. He has practiced medicine in Roscommon for twenty years. He was awarded the degree of Bachelor of Science from the University of Cincinnati and earned his Doctor of Medicine degree from the same university.

Active in community affairs, Oppy serves as Chief of Staff at Mercy Hospital, Grayling; Chief Medical Examiner, Roscommon County; Medical Advisor to the Roscommon County Council on Aging and is Medical Advisor to the Roscommon County Chapter of the Cancer Society.

Other activities include, Member of House of Delegates of Michigan State Medical Society. He was named Doctor of the Week by the Michigan State Legislature. Membership in medical groups include the North Central Counties Medical Society, the Michigan State Medical Society and the American Medical Association.

Oppy is married and has four children, all graduates of Roscommon High School.



X Rodney Saxton

H. Rodney Saxton is retired after an active life in the engineering and electronics field. Although retired from the business world his interest in community endeavors remains a challenge, as his activities on behalf of Kirtland Community College testify.

In recent years Saxton has not only been active as a member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College, he has also served on the Roscommon County Planning Commission, as a Trustee on the Gerrish Township Board, and as Executive Secretary to the Higgins Lake Property Owners Association.

Academic background includes his attendance at Detroit Cass Technical School where he studied engineering, math, drawing and basic electricity.

Once in the business world his studies and interest placed him in many supervisory and management roles with Western Electric Company, Kelvinator Corporation and Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

In 1965 he was retained as a consultant for the General Telephone Company and supervised the engineering and installation of the local Skyline Switching center for United States government communications.

He was advanced to the rank of captain during World War II as a specialist in electronic cryptography.



X Steven Such

Steven Such, a current trustee of Kirtland Community College, is a 26 year resident of Roscommon, a Registered Professional Engineer, a former toolmaker, and an ex-Marine.

His academic background includes schooling at the Ford Apprentice and Engineering Schools, at Occidental College, the University of Southern California, and the University of Michigan where he received his B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering.

His professional career has been centered mainly in the area of Research and Development for the Department of Natural Resources and he is presently in charge of this activity at the Michigan Forest Fire Experiment Station.

Mr. Such's honor credits include publication of numerous technical papers, a National citation for outstanding achievement in Forest Fire Control, a recent election to Who's Who in Michigan for 1974-75. He is a member of the Michigan and the National Society of Professional Engineers and of the Michigan Association of the Professions.

The Such's have three children, two of whom are currently attending college. Steve's wife, Kathryn, a Registered Medical Technologist, is employed on a part-time basis at the Toifree Memorial Hospital in West Branch.

In regard to Kirtland Community College, Steve says: "My principal interest is to help the college grow along natural lines for the betterment and the general welfare of all the people of the area."

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We pledge to continue the "open door" policy of admitting high school graduates and non-high school graduates, 18 years of age and older, who can profit from the instructional programs offered by the College.

Evening classes, available to a greater number of area citizens, will continue to be emphasized.

Local students shall continue to have priority on available program openings. Remedial instruction, where necessary, will continue to be provided.

No local student shall be refused admission due to lack of personal funds.

College equipment will, as in the past, be loaned to high schools in the four county area whenever practical.

The area career center vocational program, in coordination with high school vocational education people, will continue as will the apprentice training programs that encourage area industrial development.

Senior Citizens are assured of the continuation of the advice, assistance, and service of the administration, faculty, and facilities of the College.

Retain the team...keep Kirtland Community College in strong, experienced, capable LOCAL hands.

X Jerome M. Weinberg

X Robert F. Bovee

X Charles L. Oppy, M.D.

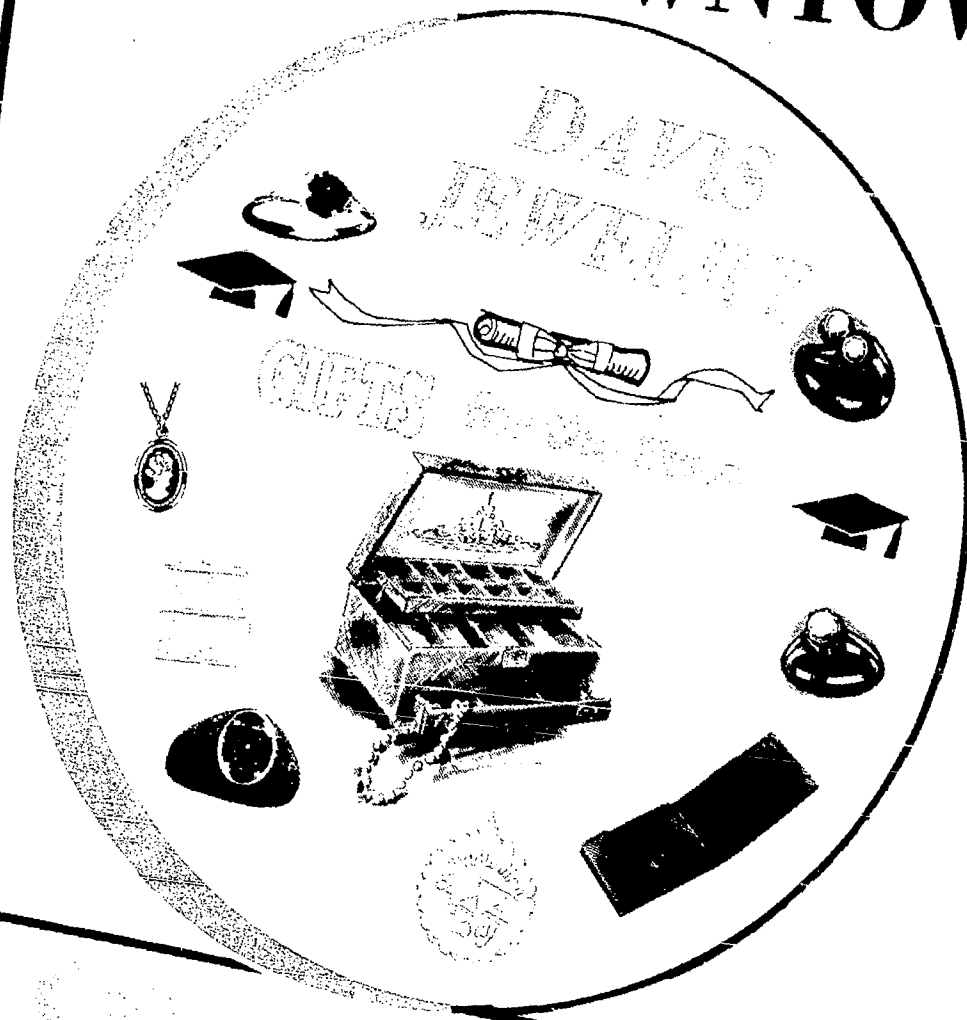
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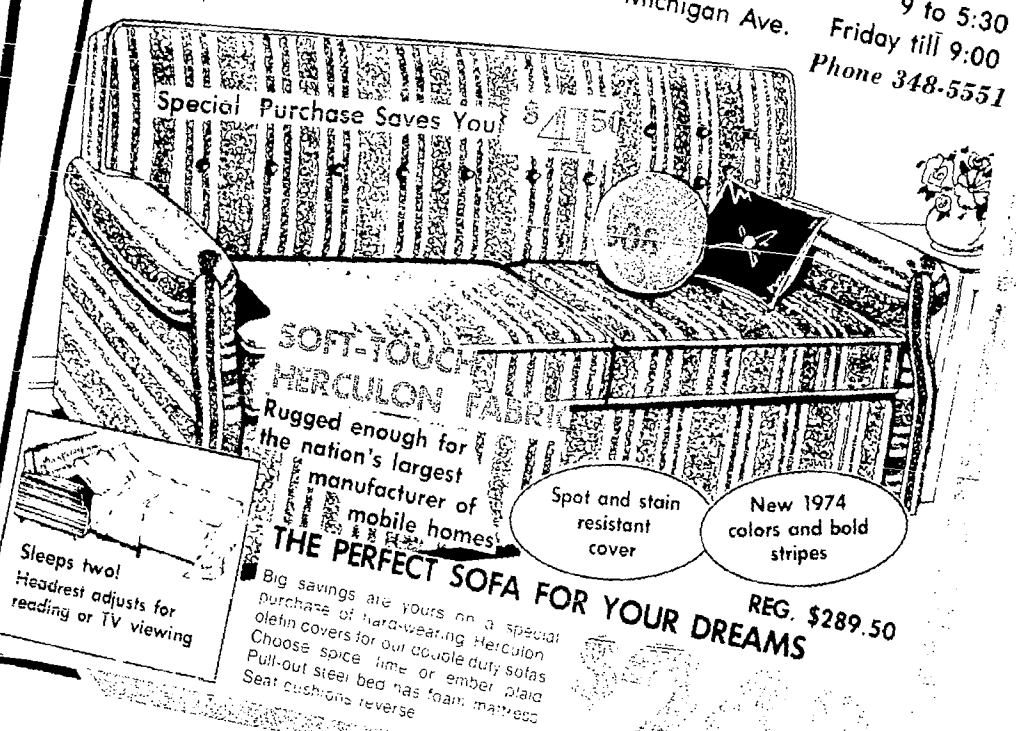
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FOR SALE — 1969 Dodge Cornet 2 door hard top, all power, air condition \$450.00 also 5 HP Sears riding mower, excellent condition \$200.00. Phone after 5:00 p.m. 348-7435. 30-6

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"But there was a definite parting of the ways between Democrats and Republicans in the House on the campaign reform bill. Republicans said that they would stand firm in opposing that bill in its present form and they did. This bill, which removed the requirement of the present law that all contributions be reported by allowing all contributions under \$25 to go unreported, can only serve to increase public distrust of their state legislature. The public is calling for strengthening of campaign laws, but my Democratic colleagues in the House essentially 'thumbed their nose' at the public this week when they pushed the yes button on the campaign reform bill.

"I'm sorry that this happened, and I can only say that I hope members of the Senate of both parties will show better judgement if the bill comes up to a vote in that chamber." Representative Ostling concluded.

OBITUARIES

MILITARY RITES FOR WILSON J. GIERKE, 60

Funeral services were held at three o'clock Sunday, May 26, for Wilson J. Gierke, 60, who passed away at the Saginaw Veterans' Hospital Thursday. Rev. Robert Barnett officiated and interment was in Elmwood Cemetery with military rites by American Legion Post 106, of which he was a member.

Mr. Gierke was born in Grayling July 24, 1913 and had been a lifetime resident. He was formerly a maintenance employee with the Postal Department.

Survivors include three brothers, Douglas of Grayling, Albert of Wolverine, and Charles of Grayling; five sisters, Mrs. Leelah Korhonen of Grayling, Mrs. Barbara Blaine of Grayling, Mrs. Emma Hinkley of Holley, New York, Mrs. Bonnie Tiffin of Houghton Lake Heights and Mrs. Mary Messenheimer of Grayling; also, many nieces and nephews. He never married.

Pallbearers were George McEvers, Jim Post, Jim Baker, Jerome Kesseier, Robert Sorenson and Bill McLeod.

SATURDAY SERVICES FOR LESLIE L. OWENS, 67

Leslie Leroy Owens, 67, of Grayling died at Mercy Hospital Thursday, May 23. He was born in Grayling March 26, 1907 and spent his entire lifetime here. He was a carpenter.

Funeral services were held at Sorenson Funeral Home Saturday at one o'clock with Rev. Glenn Arnsen officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. A candlelight service was held by the Grayling Moose Lodge at eight o'clock Friday evening.

He is survived by two brothers, Frank and Stanley, both of Grayling; one sister, Mr. Peter (Reava) Failing of Grayling, nieces and nephews. He never married.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

SERVICES HELD FRIDAY FOR JONAS WIRTANEN, 86

Jonas Wirtanen, 86, of Grayling died Tuesday, May 21, at the King Nursing Home in Houghton Lake. He was born in Finland January 24, 1888 and had been a longtime resident of Grayling. He was formerly employed by the Kerry & Hanson Flooring Mill.

Funeral services were held Friday at one o'clock at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Haskel officiating. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Anton and Don Kangas, Walter Anderson, Matthew Bidvia, Earl Broadbent, and Cecil Speight.

Mr. Wirtanen is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Iria) Kuntar of Waukegan, Illinois and Mrs. Roy (Jenny) Kannisto of Long Beach, California; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

MRS. DAISY NORRIS DIES IN FLORIDA

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Daisy Norris in Sarasota, Florida on Tuesday, May 21. A full obituary will appear in next week's Avalanche.

A Memorial Service will be held at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church Tuesday, June 11, at two o'clock. Her family requests that in lieu of flowers that contributions be made to a Memorial Fund to the Michelson Memorial Church.

LOVELLS HOME EXTENSION

The Lovells Home Extension Group met at the Womens Clubhouse on Wednesday May 8th, with 21 present. A delicious lunch was served by hostess, Ruth Caid and co-hostesses, Ronnie Brown and Velda Marshall. A business meeting was held and a discussion concerning lessons that may be given during the year. Each member suggesting a subject for a lesson. Marie Duby gave the lesson on Nutrition.

A canoe trip was planned for Tuesday, June 4th. Each member to bring her own lunch and meet at 10:00 a.m. at the home of Dorothy Schattle. If it should rain, the trip will be on Thursday, June 6th.

Bob Tupper gave a talk on Kirtland College.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday June 12th with Margaret Cavanaugh as hostess. There will be a plant exchange.

Editor's Mailbox

May 15, 1974

Dear Sir:

I am writing to you in regards to the upcoming election for the Board of Trustees at Kirtland Community College. I hope the community realized the importance of this election and why it is vital to have people on the Board who not only believe in the importance of education, but are concerned about the community as well.

I am a 1972 graduate of KCC who can no longer say I am proud of the college I worked so hard to support. I served on the Student Government for two years (one as President), the Accreditation Committee, the screening committee for hiring administrators, and worked actively for the millage campaign (I thought at that time that Kirtland needed more funds). I was also on the college Work Study Program. I did all of these things because I believed in KCC and it's goals. Now, however, I am a taxpayer who does not like what I see going on at our community college.

I do not like the fact that the college is not doing all it can to serve the community which pays for it's support. As concerned citizens we should be asking why the number of students enrolled from our four county area is so low. Could it be because the college has actively spent more time recruiting students from downstate, rather than in our own community? The answer to the question is Yes! Having worked in the admissions office I know this as fact as I saw the pressures put on the people in that office by the top administrator to recruit in the Detroit area etc.

Why aren't more students of this area interested in Kirtland? Why has the curriculum gone steadily "down-hill" over the past few years? The excessive use of part-time instructors is one answer, as this has been a problem for several years. In fact, this was brought to the attention of the administration by the North Central Accreditation Committee, yet nothing has been done. There are also too many qualified instructors either being let go or resigning due to problems between the faculty and administration. This is really sad because, speaking as a former student, I felt the instruction, while I was there, was excellent.

Also, I feel that the administration and Board has ignored the needs of students in such areas as housing, student insurance, student activities, and counseling (they no longer have a counselor since Mr. Lukshaitis resigned) etc. The above are just some of my concerns. I would like to see the Board of Trustees challenge some of the things that are being done by the administration rather than ignoring the issues and passing things unquestioned. We need people on the Board who are willing to give their time to look out for our interests.

I believe we have a chance now to put the right people in that position.

Evaluate the candidates who are running, examine the real issues, don't just put the same people back on the Board. You and I must stop what is happening at KCC before it is too late for accreditation, too late to save our beautiful college. Let's breathe some new life into what can and should be a fine community college.

Please exercise your right to vote on June 10, 1974.

A very concerned citizen,
Susan M. Barnett
9374 Superior
St. Helen, Mich.

Annual School Election

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD-AUSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, CRAWFORD, OTSEGO, AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN.

TO BE HELD JUNE 10, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please take Notice that the Annual Election of the qualified electors of said School District will be held on Monday, June 10, 1974, in said School District.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At said Annual Election there will be elected two (2) Members to the Board of Education of said district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1978.

the following persons have been nominated to fill such vacancies;

David E. Wyman

James W. Duley

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition(s) will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said annual election:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford-Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, be increased by one and one-half (1½) mills for a period of two (2) years, 1974 and 1975, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the regular Biennial Election of COOR Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the annual school election on Monday, June 10, 1974, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the intermediate school district residing in this school district. At said Regular Biennial Election there will be elected:

two (2) members at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for full terms of six (6) years ending June 30, 1980;

one (1) member at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for an unexpired term of two (2) years ending June 30, 1978; and

one (1) member at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for an unexpired term of four (4) years ending June 30, 1978.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

COOR Intermediate School District
Six Year Terms at Large

James Rutledge
Ray Swartzendruber

COOR Intermediate School District
Four Year Term at Large

Norman Caldwell

COOR Intermediate School District
Two Year Term at Large

Thomas Hazen

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the Regular Biennial Election of Kirtland Community College, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the annual school election on Monday, June 10, 1974, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the community college district residing in this school district. At said Regular Biennial Election there will be elected:

three (3) members for the office of Community College District Trustee for full terms of six (6) years ending June 30, 1980;

one (1) member for the office of Community College District Trustee for an unexpired term of two (2) years ending June 30, 1978; and

one (1) member for the office of Community College District Trustee for an unexpired term of four (4) years ending June 30, 1978.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
SIX YEAR TERMS

Robert F. Bovee
Charles L. Oppy M.D.
Robert F. Tupper
Gregory K. Sullivan
Jerome M. Weinberg
Detmar H. Finke

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
FOUR YEAR TERM

Ray Charrette
Steven Such

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TWO YEAR TERM

Helen Cavada
H. Rodney Saxton
Don M. Lance

I, Joseph V. Wakeley, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 23, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Crawford County: 1.2 mills Debt Service
By Beaver Creek Township: NONE
By Grayling Township: NONE
By Frederic Township: 2.00 Mills Voted (Fire tax)

By Lovells Township: NONE
By Maple Forest Township: NONE
By the School District: 11.00 Voted Mills School; 4.70 Voted debt service

1.00 Voted Mills, Kirtland Community College
.40 Voted Mills, Kirtland Community College, debt service, 20 yrs.
.75 Voted Mills COOR Intermediate School District, Special Education. No limit.

JOSEPH V. WAKELEY
Treasurer, Crawford Cnty. Mi.

I, Robert A. Pray, Treasurer of Otsego County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 17, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Otsego County: NONE
By Otsego Lake Township: NONE
By the School District: Five Mills 1971-1975 — Six Mills 1973-1977

ROBERT A. PRAY
Treasurer, Otsego Cnty., Mi.

I, Gladys Cross, Treasurer of Kalkaska County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 17, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Kalkaska County: NONE
By Bear Lake Township: NONE
By the School District: Five Mills 1971-1975 — Six Mills 1973-1977

GLADYS CROSS
Treasurer, Kalkaska Cnty., Mi.

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place -- Gymnasium of the Middle School Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan. The first precinct consists of all the territory of the former Grayling Public Schools.

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place -- Gymnasium Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (All of the territory except Lovells Township).

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place -- The Lovells Township Hall. The third precinct consists of the rest of the territory of the former Frederic Community Schools, (Namely Lovells Township, only).

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

GWEN JOHNSON
Secretary, Board of Education

DR. G. ROBERT SCHWARZ
Chiropractic Physician
Hours by Appointment Only
Phone 517-348-8415
6183 Legner Trail
Grayling, Mich. 49738

County Candidates Deadline June 18

CHANCE OF A LIFETIME CLUB

Increased enrollment in the Michigan Lottery's "Chance of a Lifetime Club" subscription of out-of-state qualifiers to an all-time record for the 12th Million Dollar Elimination drawing next Thursday (May 30).

There are 10,510 recent \$25 weekly lottery prize winners from out-of-state among the 120,000 recent winners eligible for the 12th Million Dollar Elimination drawing. Each \$25 winner has a 1 in 1,000 chance to advance to the 12th Million Dollar Elimination drawing. Each \$25 winner has a 1 in 1,000 chance to advance to the 12th Million Dollar Elimination drawing. Each \$25 winner has a 1 in 1,000 chance to advance to the 12th Million Dollar Elimination drawing.

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Michigan Drivers To Be Flag Wavers for America's Bicentennial



Secretary of State Richard H. Austin today unveiled a new license plate design for 1976, a red, white and blue symbol of Michigan's role in the United States Bicentennial Celebration. The "Old Glory" license plate features white stars on a blue field and two wavy ribbons of white across the bottom. The symbolism incorporates our national flag, the bicentennial logo and reminders of Michigan's role in American history.

Students

By Willard Rosserman, County Extension Director

Thirty people attended the Lake County Extension Director's School. The school was conducted in cooperation with the Houghton Lake Chamber of Commerce. The school was held at the Houghton Lake High School cafeteria Tuesday, May 21.

Thirty Attend Hospitality School

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Hospital News

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Frank Blackmer, Dorothy Bowers, Lillian Clough, Carol Fairbrother, Carl Johnson, Helen Lovell, Terry Raper, Grayling, Sharon Alma, Edith Breckow, Arleen Keesby, Glenna Rest and Cecil Tyler, all of Grayling.

Bowling

Summer Mixed League

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| 1. Duds | 2. Jiggle Joggles | 3. Water Gators | 4. Team 7 | 5. Team 6 | 6. 4 Nuts | 7. Pinball Wizards | 8. Team 4 | 9. High Series Women: J. Yoder, 160; R. Gorman, 162; S. Kohnert, 528; P. Latusek, 508; D. Ray, 500; High Singles Men: P. La-tusek, 247; C. Clark, 199; D. Ray, 198. |
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Calendar Of Events

May 30: Fredrick Homecoming Sportsman's Hall, 8 p.m., Fredrick Sportsman's Club, 8 p.m.

Robert F. Tupper

Candidate for Trustee
Kirtland Community College
6 Year Term

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THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1974

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

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GRAYLING CANOE TEAM — JAY STEPHAN AND DAVE WYSS

The Downtown Grayling Merchants Association will be sponsoring Jay Stephan and Dave Wyss in canoe races throughout Michigan, Canada and New York. The two racers are members of the Michigan Racing Association, and also the International Canoe Racing Association. The MCRA has 13 sanctioned races in Michigan, while the IPCRA sanctions six races for the world racing cup, at Cooperstown, New York, Mt. Pleasant, Mich., the AuSable River Marathon, here, North Bay, Ontario, Mt. Laurier, Quebec, and the Gen. Clinton 70 mile endurance race at Shawinigan, Quebec, where the world circuit trophy and prizes are presented to the paddlers with the most points won during these races. Jay and Dave left last Friday evening to compete in the Cooperstown to Bainbridge race that was held on Memorial Day.

ALMANACK

Richard Milliman



Watergate concerns remain

Tapes? Transcripts? Resign? Impeach? Fight on?

Up to this point, faithful readers will not find many Watergate-inspired comments in this space. Your grass roots pundit is still a bit confused about precisely where the greater justice may lie.

One view published in the wake of Mr. Nixon's transcript release did sound a resonance in my personal garden of contemplation, however.

It came from Timothy Cardinal Manning, Catholic archbishop of Los Angeles, who discerned "a domino effect that excuses lying" with one great big provision — "if you don't get caught."

Said Cardinal Manning: "I'm very worried about the country, very worried. I have a feeling that something is going to happen."

"The great tragedy of it is the raising of the 'great lie,' that it's all right to do it, but 'don't get caught.'"

"The only way out is to restore a return to conscience. You cannot legislate morality."

The cardinal's thoughts carry a lot of heft; their presentation here will suffice for my current comment on the Nixon-Watergate situation.

But I respectfully reserve the right to comment further, Your Honor, if the spirit moves me at some future date.

Howard Cosell in the United States Senate?

Well, why not? If the people of New York want to send him to what has been called the world's greatest deliberative body, it would serve them right.

You could expect, of course, that Mr. Cosell, if he became a senator, would have opinions on most every subject of public

notice, big or small. The present 100 senators, by and large, are not reluctant to let us know how they feel about anything, and so Mr. Cosell would probably fit right in.

To go to the Senate in the 1976 elections, as Mr. Cosell is threatening, would necessarily displace one of the more delightful commentators on the American scene today — one Sen. James L. Buckley, identified usually as a Conservative or as a Republican, or both.

Cosell against Buckley would be quite a campaign. Witness what could have been the opening salvo:

In a recent speech at the Naval Academy, Mr. Cosell allowed that he was considering running for the Buckley seat, asserting:

"There are not 10 people in the U.S. better qualified to run for the Senate than Howard Cosell."

Retorted Sen. Buckley, in a television interview shortly thereafter:

"I'd like to see the other nine people on his list."

With discussion like that, a Cosell-Buckley campaign would be quite interesting.

So go, Howard; it would be worth it to watch the scrap.

One of the most effective methods of clearing up the premises, almost anywhere, is the garage sale.

But this bit of Americana apparently can be too effective at times.

Needing no further comment is the following classified ad, which appeared recently in the "Personal" column of The Lansing State Journal:

"REWARD—for return of two metal statues sold by mistake, rummage sale, in February, 620 Rosewood, East Lansing. Wife's keepsake. Call 000-0000."

Examination Schedule Announced At Grayling High School

Final examinations for seniors will take place on May 30 and 31 during regular class periods. These will be the last days of school attendance for the class of 1974.

Examinations for all 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students will take place according to the following schedule: Tuesday, June 4 — Exams for 2nd and 5th hour classes. Wednesday, June 5 — Exams for 1st, 3rd, and 7th hour classes. Thursday, June 6 — Exams for 4th and 6th hour classes.

School will be dismissed for the summer at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, June 6.

Students attending Vocational Classes at COOR will attend those classes for the last time on Friday, May 31st and should report to school only in the morning on June 3rd and only for 1st, 2nd and 3rd hour exams during the examination period.

Patty Kequom To Participate In Suitcase Theatre Tour for 1974

Patty Kequom, Grayling High School junior, daughter of Frank and Phyllis Kequom of R.R. 1, Frederic, has been selected to participate in the Suitcase Theatre Tour during the summer months. Leaving on the 25 of June and will return August 25.

Suitcase Theatre embarks on its first domestic tour this year. The 1974 North American tour will begin at the N.E.A. convention in Chicago and progress across the United States including Hawaii, return to the Worlds Fair in Spokane Washington via Canada and back to Michigan.

Suitcase Theatre was created in 1970 under the direction of Powell Lindsay, a professional producer-actor-playwright. It was organized with the endorsement and backing from the Michigan Education Association. Its purpose is to give High School and College students 16-21 years old the experience of an international cultural exchange and opportunity to promote good will. Qualifying demands not only talent in a performing art, but leadership in school, church and community affairs and a high scholastic standing.

Suitcase Theatre performs without charge and if tickets are sold the proceeds may be used to defray local expenses or to benefit local charities, Churches, veterans and children hospitals, schools, and a variety of other settings have served as performance sites for the group.

It is financed through matching funds from the expansion arts program of the national endorsement for the arts and has status as a tax exempt educational cultural and charitable organization.

The performing teen-agers review American life through poetry, music, song, dance and dramatic vignettes a medium of entertainment that demonstrates democracy in action principle of brotherhood.

Patty will be performing her tribal songs and dances as well as performing with the entire troupe.

Country Players

It has been announced by the script committee of the River Country Players that "Barefoot in the park," a comedy by Neil Simon has been selected for their late summer production. Aug. 15 - 16 - 17.

"Barefoot in the park" is the delightful story of a newly married lawyer who is kicked out of his apartment by his bride when he refuses to walk through the snow in the park. But he comes back when he figures since he pays the rent she's the one to go. This memorable comedy starred Robert Redford as Paul Bratter, the husband and Elizabeth Ashley as his wife, Corie. Other characters were the telephone man played by Herbert Edelmann, Mildred Natwick as Corie's mother, Joseph Keating, the delivery man and Kurt Kaznar, a friend.

Try outs for "Barefoot in the park" have been set for Wednesday May 29 and Thursday May 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the middle school gym. A cast of four men and two women will be chosen at this time. Anyone interested in trying out is urged to attend one of the scheduled times.

Practice for the play will begin the second week in June. Tentatively rehearsal nights are set for two or three nights a week at first, then on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday in July. The last two weeks before production rehearsals will be held each week day night.



Golf & Tennis Offered at Kirtland

Dean Garnet W. Stewart announced that two course offerings in physical education will be offered for the summer term beginning June 10th and ending August 2nd, 1974.

Golf will be taught on Tuesday and Thursday, 6:30 to 8:15 p.m. and tennis will also be taught on Tuesday and Thursday 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

The instructor will be James Cousineau of Rosecommon. For further information write: Kirtland Community College, Box 59A, Rosecommon, Michigan 48653 or call 275-5121.

Present Recital

Piano students of Mrs. Judy Englund presented their Spring Recital on Thursday, May 16, at 7:30 p.m. The recital took place at the Vocal Music Room in the new High School Building.

Students participating in the recital were Doug MacLean, Wendy Denton, Bette Thomson, Diane Whaley, Kay Ely, Kena Rohde, Nancy Berg, Ianthe Westers, Janine Westers, Jeannie Kucharek and Cindy McEvers.

Over fifty people were in attendance. Refreshments were served following the program.

G.O.P. Notice

There will be an important meeting of the Crawford County Republican Committee on Thursday, May 30th, at Noon at Chief Shoppensons Hotel.

Plans for the forthcoming summer, including the August primaries and our county and state conventions, will be made at this meeting.

Since these plans will be of such importance to all county Republicans, it is essential that you participate in this meeting.

Military Mailbox

L/Cpl James E. Corlew 365-56-0832, Co A Marine Barracks, N.A.W.F. Machrihanish Scotland, F.P.O. New York 09515.

To Meet

Auxiliary #3388 World War I will meet June 4th at one o'clock at the Legion Hall. Potluck with meeting to follow. Election of officers. Please try to attend.

Marie Daly, Sec'y.

Subscribe to The Avalanche

High School Students Donate Blood

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile spent the day at Grayling High School, Thursday, May 23rd. Due to changes in policy, people 17 and over can now donate blood, 17 year olds needing parental consent. 57 students donated blood for the first time and an additional 27 attempted to donate, but were rejected because of too little weight (under 110 lbs.), recent or current illness or for other medical reasons.

Fourteen teachers and school employees donated and an additional eighteen adults from the community donated making for a total of 89 pints of blood collected.

The Red Cross is starting school programs such as this one in an attempt to start regular blood donation patterns in one's early adult life. The students who donated were apprehensive but quite anxious to make this commitment. The day was so successful that plans are now being made to schedule two days of donation during the next school year, one in the fall and one in the spring.

Mike Weiland and his biology classes initiated and organized the program. Along with the Bloodmobile staff and volunteer nurses, Mr. Weiland's classes, Warren Hayes and his biology classes and Mrs. Mary Ann Reynolds and her Vocational Health Occupations class served as volunteers in processing the donors and blood.

Students filled out registra- [see Students on page 8]



GRAYLING HIGH SCHOOL Biology students preparing collection bags for blood donation. Left to right, Mary Ann Grande, Teresa Golnick, Barb Christian, Diane Meoak, Dennis Theaker.



OTHER BIOLOGY STUDENTS preparing full pints of blood for testing and storage. Left to right, Chan Warren, Jim Gardiner, Stuart Fowler, Ken Doty, Bill Nelson and Jody Gates.

IF IT FITZ

Jim Fitzgerald



Go forth and digress

Once again it is the season for me to write the commencement address I won't deliver in person because speeches make me itch. Besides, no one asked. I am something like Spiro Agnew sitting in a Greek bar waiting for the phone to ring.

Anyway, speaking of vice presidents, it's probably only fair that Gerald Ford be allowed to give all commencement speeches this year. He should always have a speech scheduled tomorrow so he can explain he didn't really say what you thought he said about Nixon yesterday.

But I digress. My commencement address has added importance this year because my daughter Chris is graduating from high school. I have a lot of important things to tell her if I ever see her again. She only comes home to wash her hair and change overalls. I run into her in the hall once in awhile but by the time I've finished introducing myself she is always called to the phone.

I'd like to tell Chris I remember her but I've forgotten the formal dress she wore to that dance a few months ago. Even though I sobbed gently at the sight of the price tag, I do not recall if that dress was red, pink, lace or burlap. So why couldn't she wear it to the prom this month? Why do girls insist they can't wear a formal twice in the same world because EVERYONE will know it's OLD and no one will dance with them for fear of catching boll weevil fever from cotton sabotaged by Eli Whitney's slaves?

There was once a gangster who wore his sox only once and then threw them away. I'll admit I thought that was pretty classy. I

figured the neighbors would be mightily impressed by an ever-growing pile of sox under my bedroom window. But I don't have nerve enough to look under Chris' window. It must look like Saks 5th Avenue blew up.

Come to think, proms have become strange things.

When I was a two-stepping youth, each guy got a dance card and a pencil stub as he entered the hall. The first thing he did was fill out the card by finding a dozen guys willing to dance with his date while he danced with theirs. Everybody was thereby contracted to stay until the last dance. ("It's 3 o'clock in the morning..." ahhh). There was only an occasional sneak out to the parking lot while a guy appealed to a girl's patriotism ("I'll probably be fighting in Germany or Japan 2 weeks after graduation and we won't have many more nights together, so...").

At today's proms, the kids dance once and then see how far they can go for a late dinner. By the time the last dance is played, some of them are having their luggage checked through customs. If they wanted to say goodnight to the band leader, they'd have to send a postcard.

But I digress. I always digress. In fact, that is the theme of my commencement address: "Students, go forth into the world and digress. To digress means to stray from the main subject. The main subject is usually a big pain and it is only while digressing that you smell the flowers, hear little children giggle, and look at girls' legs."

What this world needs is more digression. Just be sure to signal before turning. Sideways can be sweeter than Onward and Upward.

New Business In Grayling

Another new business has opened its doors in Grayling with the opening over the past weekend of The Play House, in the Homestead House across from the water tower.

Owners of the new business are Dick and Kathy Greenfield, who have been residents of Grayling since last fall. They moved here from Ann Arbor where he was manager of the University Club. They are the parents of two children, Corey and Craig, who are enrolled in the Grayling elementary school.

The Play House features Creative Playthings for children, posters, books, games, cards and stationery for children from infants to mid-teens. They will also handle children's bib overalls by Oshkosh and Gordon Fraser cards as soon as their stock arrives and have Mexican imports.



ROTARY PRESENTS FLAGS TO HIGH SCHOOL

Wednesday, May 22, the Grayling Rotarian Club, represented by Jim Duley (left), presented flags for every class room in the High School to Mike Branch (right) Assistant Principal. The flags were purchased with the proceeds of the Grayling Rotary Club's flag sale which has been carried on over the past six months.

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You filed your 1973 federal income tax return a while back now, so that's out of the way for another year.

But wait a minute! Where are your tax records?

Just as certain documents were essential for you to fill out your Form 1040, they may well be necessary for you at some time in the future. Obviously, if this year's tax return is selected by the Internal Revenue Service for an audit, you will need those records to show how you determined what you thought to be the correct tax due. Even if your return is accepted as filed, for your peace of mind and good business practice you should keep all tax records as long as they remain useful to you.

The law specifies only that you must maintain records required to establish the correct amount of income, credits, deductions, and other matters

to be reported on returns. This means that you should keep all information that will substantiate the items claimed on your tax return.

There is no requirement as to the particular kinds of records for tax purposes, other than that they must be permanent, accurate, and complete. However, it might pay to look over your tax accounting methods, for no one should remain under the illusion that bits and pieces of paper thrown into a discarded shoe box can be considered proper records at tax time.

Records are required by law—adequate records—but good records should be required by you, the taxpayer, since frequently the difference between some documentation and good record-keeping is income tax savings.

The IRS recommends that all taxpayers carefully consider keeping track of such records as medical-care insurance premiums; cost of medicine and drugs; medical and dental expenses; state, local, and property taxes; charitable contributions; interest and finance charges; disabled dependent and child care; political contributions; business and educational expenses; non-business expenses, such as investment advice and publications; and reimbursements for casualty losses or thefts.

How long should you keep tax records? It varies, depending on the information documented. In general, records must be retained as long as their content may be material in the administration of any internal revenue law.

Receipts, canceled checks, and other records supporting a deduction, credit, expense, or item of income should be kept at least three years from the due date of the return or the date the tax is paid, whichever is later.

Record-keeping is important during these three years because under the law, the IRS can audit individual income tax returns three years back when errors are suspected.

There are other tax records that should be kept longer than three years. Records of how much you paid for your home and its major improvements, for example, should be maintained to establish your cost basis when you sell.

You should retain indefinitely records of costs of any stocks, bonds, or other investments so you can similarly compute gain or loss when you sell. And records should be kept on any property received by gift or inheritance so that you may determine tax due if you decide to sell someday.

Also, retain copies of your previously filed tax returns as a part of your records. They help in preparing future tax returns as well as in such computations as filing a claim for refund or income averaging.

Circuit Court Action

The following disposition was made of criminal cases brought before the Honorable Daniel F. Walsh, presiding Circuit Judge of the 46th Judicial Circuit.

May 20, 1974, Leonard Robert Harris of East Jordan was assessed fine and costs in the amount of \$500.00 or 90 days in the County Jail after having entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquors, second offense.

Gary Raymond Smith of Boyne City, was sentenced to a term of 3½ to 10 years in the State Prison at Jackson, Michigan, after having entered a plea of guilty to a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling with intent to commit a larceny.

Thomas Gregory Haskins of Grayling, was sentenced to a term of one year in the Crawford County Jail after having entered a plea of guilty to a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied building with intent to commit a larceny.

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Cheer Up!

How would you feel if current news stories told of casualties running into the tens of thousands resulting from battles fought between opposing American armies on the rolling hills above the Mississippi river outside a little town called Vicksburg? This was the kind of thing that the people of America had to face during the 1860's and all through the long years of this nation's bitter Civil War. At the end of that conflict, Abraham Lincoln was at the center of controversy. His assassination added to the flames of hatred. As far as hardships go, untold thousands of families gave husbands, sons and brothers to the Confederate or Union cause and never heard from them again nor knew their fate.

Alienation of different groups of people, cynicism, secrecy, distrust, violence and all of the other bad elements included in today's list of problems pale into insignificance compared to difficulties faced and overcome in past days of our nation's history. A little good-will, common sense and hard work over a reasonable period of time have always done a lot to make things better. They still can do the job.

Up And Away

For nearly 40 years, the Gallup Poll has run a survey which periodically checks on the progress of inflation. The question asked is, "What is the smallest amount of money a family of four (husband, wife, and two children) needs each week to get along in this community?" The latest survey showed the median dollar income suggested by those responding to the question to be \$152 per week. In 1937, the figure was \$30. To fill out the picture, the amount in 1947 was \$43, in 1957 it was \$72 and in 1967 it reached \$101.

If this trend continues, the public's estimate of the minimum monthly salary required for a family of four should hit \$800 or more in the next few years. If the government decides to guarantee this level of income, a lot more of us can quit work and go fishing!

English Is Not Enough

"Guten Tag" is not a new children's game, but for millions of American youngsters with no desire to set foot inside a foreign language classroom, that simple German phrase for "Hello" may as well be. Unless this alarming disinterest in other languages and cultures is dispelled, our young people will undoubtedly have trouble coping with the rest of the world in the years ahead.

For decades, higher education in the United States wisely stressed the importance of foreign language instruction by making it mandatory. In recent years, the requirements were lifted, and, according to the Modern Language Association, foreign language classes in high school and college fell 9.2 percent from 1970 to 1972. Now that modern technology has brought the peoples of the world into daily contact with each other, such an indifferent attitude toward other societies can only be described as disastrous to the future of international understanding.

Many countries have recognized this danger by placing added emphasis on foreign languages in their schools. The message for Americans should be clear. Knowledge of the English language alone simply will not suffice in this interdependent, multilingual world of ours.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

WOULD YOU BELIEVE THAT KIRTLAND'S PRESENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

1. Approved a \$3,400 "bonus" for the president for unused vacation time. [The Board could have suggested he use or lose unused vacation time just like other employees do.]
2. Have failed to provide student health and accident insurance even though this item was given 'top' priority by the Administrative Council in 1972.
3. Hired an Administrative Assistant to the President who has a \$37,000 plus budget for 1974-75.
4. Have not provided a full-time professional counselor since the resignation of Mr. Lukshaitis. [Mr. "L" was the 5th Student Service person to resign during the past 3 years, including Mr. Tupper.]

This information is provided by the Committee to Elect Robert F. Tupper to the K.C.C. Board of Trustees.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM
THE FILES OF THE AVANCEE OF 23 YEARS AGO

May 31, 1951

Mr. John Alef came to Grayling May 24th to become associated with Grayling State Savings Bank of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and daughter, Sharon, and Patsy of Lincoln Park visited her mother, Mrs. Frank LaMotte here recently.

Miss Sue Giegling has accepted a position as counselor at Camp Maqua, near Hale, for the summer camp period.

Mrs. Fred R. Welsh spent ten days visiting in Saginaw and Cass City and her daughter, Mrs. Don Koepfgen brought her home on Thursday and returned to her home in Cass City on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilton held open house at their home at Lake Margrethe for members of the junior and senior classes of Grayling High School following the Baccalaureate service held at Michelson Memorial Church Sunday evening.

E.R. Burns spent from Sunday through Wednesday and Jack Papendick Monday thru Wednesday attending Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of the State of Michigan held in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Burns spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant visiting their son, Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Papendick of Detroit spent the weekend here visiting their parents.

Miss Eileen Madill celebrated her birthday at home with her parents, the Charles Madill's and other relatives and friends in Frederic Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Reetz (Ruby Chappell) and daughter, Miss Janet Chappell of Detroit left Monday after spending the weekend at their home.

Tom Stancil hooked a 21" brown trout in the AuSable River west of Grayling on Monday.

This is it. The promised news. The Stanley Hummels are proud parents of a baby girl weight 9 pounds, 1 ounce, born Saturday at Mercy Hospital. She will be known as Linda Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver spent four days last week in Buchanan.

The Marlin Weavers are building a cabin on their lots on the AuSable River.

46 YEARS AGO
May 31, 1928

In the passing of Rasmus Larson at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Middle LaMotte last Wednesday, Grayling lost one of its oldest residents.

Mrs. Jess Sales of Detroit is visiting for a few days with her father, Lars Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson entertained the following over last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thompson, and son Henry and Peter Larsen, all of Detroit.

Wesley LaGrow motored up from Detroit and spent Decoration Day.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson is the proud possessor of a new Cadillac Sedan.

Sam Phelps and daughter, Virginia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holger Hanson over Dec-

oration Day.

The Edwin Chalker family is quarantined with scarlet fever, their son having contracted the disease.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michelson and children of Detroit were at their cottage at Lake Margrethe over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Elery Brado are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. The little Miss will be called Sarah Jane.

Frank Whipple of Lansing is spending a couple of weeks visiting his daughters, Mrs. Russell Cripps and Miss Clara Whipple.

Mrs. William Golnick and daughter, Geraldine Ruth of Flint are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Galvani spent Decoration Day at Linger Longer on the AuSable, the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Shreve. In the afternoon they drove to Lovells to visit Mrs. W. Simms.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson left Sunday for Chicago, where they will witness the Memorial Day parade.

71 YEARS AGO
June 1, 1905

H. Petersen's Grocery and furnishing store will be open for business Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Strong has returned to California, after a delightful visit with her sister.

W. S. Chalker and wife, W. Batterson and wife were down from the north part of the county Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Smith and her sister, Miss Condon came up from Detroit club house with Mrs. Seeley Wakeley last Saturday to visit the village.

James W. Hartwick struck town last Friday genial as ever and was warmly welcomed by his many friends.

On Destroyer

Navy Electrician's Mate Third Class Edward S. Skagerbert of Route 1, Roscommon, returned to Charleston, S. C., aboard the destroyer USS Glennon. He arrived after a four-day voyage from Todd Shipyard, New Orleans, where the Glennon underwent two months of repairs and modernization.

District Court

The following persons appeared before Judge Francis Walsh, 83rd District Court and plead guilty or were found guilty by a trial:

Gerald W. Gemberling, 25, Lewisburg, Pa., was charged with the unlawful use of marijuana and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$204.00 or 30 days in jail.

Mark Elsworth Southwell, 51, Grayling, was charged with DWI and plead guilty to the charge. He was fined \$144.00 or 14 days in jail.

Robert Henry Schmidt, 38, Laingsburg, was charged with impaired driving and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$124.00 or 14 days in jail.

Michael E. Swanger, 25, Milton, Pa., was charged with impaired driving and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$124 or 14 days in jail.

James Milton Wagner, 25, Milton, Pa., was charged as being a disorderly person by intoxication in a public place and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$64.00 or 7 days in jail.

Edward Charles Jacobs, 18, Saginaw, was charged as being a disorderly person and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$44.00 or 5 days in jail.

Gvido Robert Auzins, 18, Rockford, was charged as being a disorderly person and plead nolo contendere. He was fined \$44.00 or 5 days in jail.

Robert Louis Sims, 28, Roscommon, was charged with impaired driving and was fined \$124.00 or 14 days in jail.

Howard Raymond Longchamps, 22, was charged with entering without permission and simple larceny. He plead nolo contendere and was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

Robert L. Jackman, 22, Springfield, Mo., was charged with entering without permission and simple larceny. He plead nolo contendere and was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

From Calvary Baptist Church.

On the Baptist/Catholic Controversy

The General Board of the American Baptist Convention recently passed a resolution charging that "the present national effort of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops in the U.S.A. to coerce the conscience and personal freedom of our citizens through the power of public law in matters of human reproduction constitutes a serious threat to that moral and religious liberty." In other words, the bishops in the A.B.C. are charging the Catholic Bishops with violation of the separation of church and state, attempting to control the conscience of American citizens, and efforts to restrict individual moral and religious liberty concerning abortion.

Perhaps some light can be shed upon the subject by sharing a recent news item. Dr. Xavier Hall Ramirez of Bakersfield, California injected a woman with a saline solution for the purpose of aborting her baby. The baby survived the burning solution and at birth was administered oxygen by the nurses on duty to sustain the child's life. When the doctor heard of what had happened, he went immediately to the mother, Mrs. Newkirk, and requested permission to kill the child. After the mother refused, Dr. Ramirez still directed the nurses to turn off the child's oxygen. The nurses refused to obey, as a result the child is still alive, and Dr. Ramirez is under indictment by a grand jury.

If you are in favor of abortion do not condemn Dr. Ramirez. He had permission from the state and the mother to use a saline solution to kill a baby in her womb. The fee for his services had already been paid. If we are going to permit murder or man slaughter by law, we should at least be "humane" and allow the doctor to finish the job once it is started.

This article was not written to appear pro-Catholic and anti-Baptist. Truth is more important than any denominational name or creed. We are in agreement with the Catholic bishops because we share a common belief concerning the facts regarding abortion. We are not judging the liberals in the American Baptist Convention. They have already judged themselves by their pro-abor-

tion stand to be unworthy of the title "Baptist" or even "Christian." I disavow any identification with them except as fellow human beings; a relationship we share by birth, but not by their practice.

The American Baptist Convention is a living monument of what happens when unbelieving liberals are permitted to take control of the schools and leadership of a Christian denomination. Ignoring all other heresy and looking at the issue of abortion alone, no Bible Christian can remain in obedience to God's Word and fellowship with the American Baptist Churches or Convention. "Jesus said, 'Thou shalt do no murder.' Matthew 19:18. 'If any man teach otherwise, and consent not to...the words of our Lord Jesus Christ...from such withdraw thyself.'" 1 Timothy 6:3,5.

Pastor Barnett

CORRECTION

The young lady who is engaged to William Keith Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Johnson, of Grayling is Nancy Lee Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kelly of Gaylord. Our apologies for the misspelling of her name (Kelly).

Bits O' Talk

Fred and Helen Catlin of Toledo, Ohio visited relatives and friends in Grayling last week. They had just returned from Arizona where they had visited former Grayling residents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cripps. They report that they are both well.

Mrs. Jack McClain drove up from Sand Lake on Thursday, May 16, and spent a few days visiting her son, Gary and family, and also calling on other relatives and friends. On Friday, Mrs. McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClain and Mrs. Clarence Gross met Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Swanson of St. Ignace in Petoskey and had dinner. While there, they saw the Swanson's son, Ralph, who is a teacher in Petoskey, and their daughter, Kathy, who is employed at Burns Clinic. On Sunday, Mrs. McClain, Mrs. Gary McClain and children and Mrs. Clarence Gross were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Rutledge in Roscommon. Mrs. McClain drove back home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee were in Kalamazoo a week ago Saturday to attend the piano recital of their daughter, Dena Bovee, and Sherilyn Marshall at Kalamazoo College.

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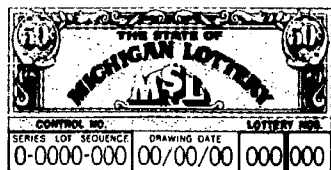
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Candace Petsch Henig, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. Elmore Henig of 604 Peninsular, Grayling, became the bride of Michael Thomas Monroe, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Monroe, 1017 Boswell Lane, Kalamazoo on Saturday, May 25, at four o'clock at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church. White mums and snapdragons decorated the altar and candleabra, mums, snapdragons and fruit blossoms decorated around the church.

Rev. Paul A. Weber performed the ceremony before about 250 guests. Mrs. Harry Baskette, aunt of the bride, was the organist. Her selections were Trumpet Tune and "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," by Bach. Mr. Michael Albrecht, guitarist, played selections by John Renbourn.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a full length gown of sheer organza over taffeta with a natural waistline and a semi-full skirt. The long fitted sleeves, deep v-neck and flounce were trimmed with re-embroidered

sheer and the cathedral length train featured a flounce. She carried a cascade style bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley with a good luck piece.

Miss Marcia Heise of Milwaukee, Wisconsin was maid of honor and Miss Claudia Henig of Detroit and Miss Betina Henig of Grayling, sisters of the bride, were bridesmaids. Their dresses were of dotted sheer organza with full skirts and natural waistlines. The deep v-neck and deep cuffs on the long sleeves were trimmed with the same re-embroidered sheer as the bride's gown. The waistlines were set off by satin ribbons ending in a bow at the center back. Their cascade bouquets were of yellow and white daisies and purple statice.

George Monroe of Dearborn, brother of the groom, was best man and groomsmen were Frederick Heineman of East Lansing and Kenneth Nisbet of Ann Arbor.

A reception followed at the Otsego Ski Club in Gaylord.

The bride is a graduate of Grayling High School and Michigan State University. Her husband graduated from Dearborn High School and Michigan State University.

They will make their home in East Lansing.

Out of town guests attending the festivities were from Nashville, Tenn.; Hudson, Ohio; Boston, Mass.; Warren, Ohio; Don Mills, Ontario, Canada; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Champaign, Illinois; Calumet, Grosse Ile, Saginaw, Sterling Heights, Dearborn, Kalamazoo, Fowler, Mt. Pleasant, Detroit, Lansing, East Lansing, Allen Park, Pontiac, Traverse City, Ann Arbor, Sand Lake and Holt.

Honored guests attended were Mrs. C. W. Henig Sr., grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Farrington, grandparents of the bride, and Mr. George Henig, great-uncle of the bride.

Hobby Club

The Frederic Hobby Club met at the home of Mrs. Vi Middleton on May 23, with four members present.

Carnival tickets are now on sale for the Homecoming. They are three in a book for \$1.00 and may be purchased from Vi Middleton. We will not take orders. They will be sold on a first come first serve basis.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Margaret Wheeler on Cameron Bridge Road. Bring a friend.

The door prize was won by Mrs. Helma Post.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our beloved Mother who passed away May 28, 1963.

There is a place within my heart

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Of one I loved so much. Often in the quiet hours I drift back in time;

And we are happy once again My beloved Mom and I. It seems I hear the angels sing.

As if they are happy too; That Mom and I can share these times

And no one can intrude. So as we place flowers upon her grave,

I send up a silent prayer; That when my work on earth is done,

I'll be with her up there.

The family of Grace Biskner

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June 10, 1974

[Tax Rate Limitation Increase Proposition To Be Earmarked For County-Wide Land Fill Purposes]

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Evelyn Bates,
Twp. Clerk

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF LOVELLS TOWNSHIP

Please be notified that there will be a public meeting at the Lovells Townhall, at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, June 8, 1974. To give you a report from the Lovells Township Sanitary Advisory Committee on the recommended proposed plan and costs for handling garbage and refuse for this area in the future.

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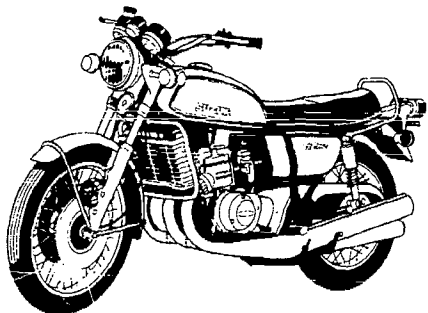
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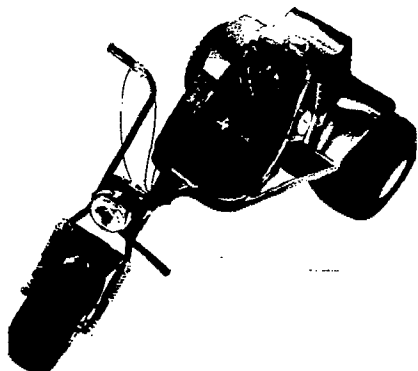
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Editor's Mailbox

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Dear Editor:

In a recent letter to the editor or article depending on which newspaper one reads, Mr. Weinberg referred to candidates who are running against incumbents as "a-grinders." I as a candidate find it interesting that Mr. Weinberg professes to know why I, one of the candidates, resigned as Dean of Students in July of 1973 when at that time I gave as my reason that "I resign for professional and personal reasons." No member of the Board has ever talked to me about my reasons for resigning nor to my knowledge talked with former Dean Ed Harkins or former Director of Admissions Art Kaherl, or former Acting Dean of Students Ray Anderson, or Mr. Lukshaitis, former counselor all of whom I am sure resigned during the past three years for reasons similar to mine. Had the incumbents been at the "Meet the Candidates Night" held on campus recently they would have heard me say that I resigned because (1) I did not want to be associated with the type of decisions that were being made at Kirtland, (2) that I felt the Board was getting bad advice and was not investigating recommendations prior to taking Board action and (3) that I wanted to work with and help students which I am able to do in my present position.

In the same letter (article) the Board speaks of the Off-Campus Centers as making money. I have not quarrelled about making money, but rather that the centers in Tawas and Cadillac are part of an expansion program that is aimed at adding these areas to the college district. If they (Tawas & Cadillac) are included in the district we will see the loss of local control because in no way will these areas become part of our district without representation on the Board. Also, I resent the college allotting \$1,400 in scholarships to these non-resident, non-tax-paying students during the past year. Naturally some persons in these areas "love" the centers in Tawas & Cadillac and why not, when you've got a college without having to pay taxes and your students are given scholarships.

The incumbents speak of low taxes but forget to mention that they did have a millage election just two short years ago.

Student growth is mentioned. Yes, there has been student growth but remember it was the Dean of Students responsibility to recruit. I foresee however, a decline in enrollment for next fall, because of the Colleges' lack of concern for student welfare. The students left campus this Spring with a great deal of "antagonism" toward the Administration and the Board as was indicated at the Meet the Candidate Night, recent letters to the Editor and at graduation.

Fiscal responsibility is referred to and yet the Board still speaks of purchasing its own computer when the C.O.O.R. office has a computer, which you and I paid for, available for the colleges use on campus. I wonder if most people realize how expensive a computer is plus the cost of operation?

In some areas of the college district I have encountered many problems in trying to meet with and speak to the people of my concerns for the future of Kirtland. I have tried to contact every organization etc., to give my views so that this campaign could be won or lost on issues and not on words such as "antagonism toward the administration" or in rumors which in my opinion are just desperate attempts by some incumbents to stay in control of the Board at Kirtland.

Remember to vote June 10th.

Sincerely,
Robert P. Tupper

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NEWSPAPER AD WORKSHOP—On Friday, May 17, a newspaper advertising workshop was held here at the Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel by the MNI, the advertising arm of the Michigan Press Association, with Gordon Johnson, Nationally known ad expert of Madison Newspapers in Wisconsin conducting the seminar. Some 70 ad sales persons from newspapers in the northern part of the lower peninsula attended the workshop and dinner that followed. Mr. Johnson's presentation was on the Psychology of Selling Newspaper Advertising. (Grayling Studios Photo)

Dental Course Credit

WASHINGTON—Those who have completed the Air Force Dental Specialist Course — (3ABR98190) now have the opportunity to be certified by the American Dental Assistants Association, Air Force dental officials report.

The course has won accreditation from the Council on Dental Education of the American Dental Association. Air Force officials said personnel who completed the course after July 22, 1969 and have reached the five level in 981X0 career field are eligible to apply for the certifying examination from the American Dental Assistants Association.

Additional information is available through the nearest Air Force Base centralized personnel office.

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TO THE RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP:

PLEASE BE NOTIFIED that there will be a public hearing at the City Hall, 103 James Street, Grayling, Michigan, at 7:30 p.m., June 4, 1974, of the Township Planning Commission on rezoning in Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

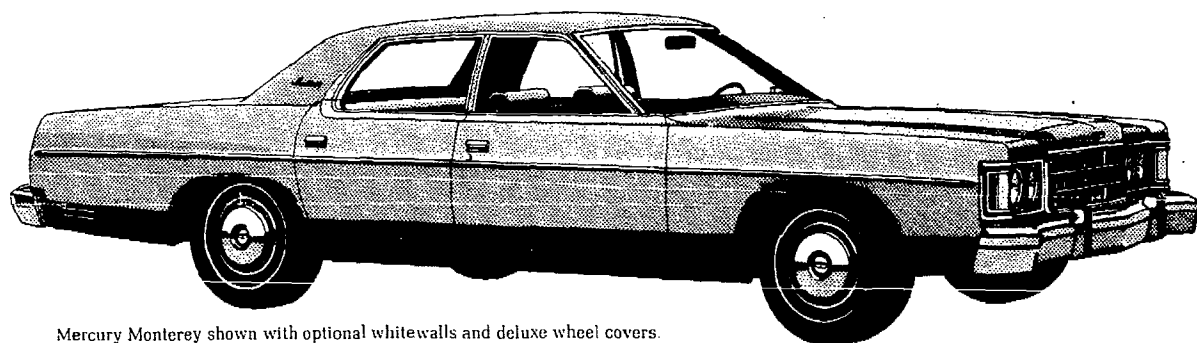
The following change of zoning will be considered:

CASE NO. 74 - 4 Cornell Realty, Inc., applicant has requested rezoning of property located at: approximately 1 1/2 Miles E of Stephan Bridge Road and 1/2 Mile S of M-72 described as: the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 16, T 26 N - R 2 W, from present zoning classification of R A to R-3 for the purpose of Residential Subdivision.

Tentative text and zoning maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

Elizabeth H. Wieland,
Township Clerk

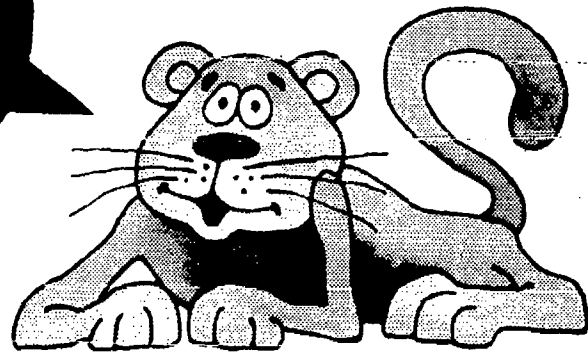
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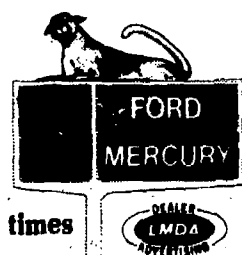


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Women of The Moose

A meeting was held on May 20th with 12 members present.

Election was held with the following girls being elected: Sr. Regent, Tiny DeRousha; Jr. Regent, Dorothy Slusser; Chaplin, Janice Miller, Treasurer, Bernice Winston, Recorder, Wilma Sunday, Jr. Grad. Regent, Lurli Mayo.

Fourteen men and women from Grayling Lodge 1162 and Grayling Chapter #827 went to Cadillac Lodge May 18. They were Lurli Mayo, Wilma Sunday, Lillian King, Tiny DeRousha, Frances Barclay, Janice Miller, Edith Tubbs. We were asked by the Cadillac Chapter #298 to put on the A. of Friendship program. There were 4 girls who got their rings. They are: June Miehke, Elaine Miller, Alta Soderquist, Phyllis Shimmel.

A real nice lunch was served by the Cadillac Chapter afterwards.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the County of Crawford.
Estate of Edith L. Hartman, deceased.

It is Ordered that on June 14, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of William F. Laurie, Executor of the estate of Edith L. Hartman, for allowance of first and final account.
Dated: May 22, 1974
Emil L. Kraus,
Judge of Probate

Nelson A. Miles
Attorney for Executor
P.O. Box 303
Grayling, Michigan 30-6-13

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK
DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

Walt Whitman, famous American poet, was born on May 31, 1819.
Kentucky became the 15th state admitted to the Union, June 1, 1792.
American Indians became citizens of the United States on June 2, 1924.
Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederate States of America, was born on June 3, 1808.
June 4, 1942, was the date the naval Battle of Midway began during World War II.
The Battle of France began on June 5, 1940.
D-Day—the invasion of Normandy—took place on June 6, 1944.

your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: June 2 to June 8

ARIES
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

The moment someone mentions a good deal—beware! Your chart warns against becoming involved in a "get rich" scheme. Really, it's not the time to start a project.

TAURUS
Apr. 20 - May 20

No doubt whatsoever, your sign has the urge to tamper with affairs of secret order. So, avoid the temptation to carry malicious gossip.

GEMINI
May 21 - June 20

For you? Members of the opposite sex, most certainly, will hold the spotlight. Anyway, you'll make points in some unexpected areas. Look for surprises!

MOONCHILD
June 21 - July 22

Might sound like "stock" advice. Nonetheless, before you sign, please read documents that must be attended to—before the end of this month.

LEO
July 23 - Aug. 22

You just might... talk a little too loud, and, a little too long. Most members of your sign are prone to becoming too pushy, this week.

VIRGO
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

Several opportunities are heading your way, including a rather tempting overture. The point? Don't disrupt your present living pattern... hold on to security.

LIBRA
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

Over indulgence and physical pleasures seem to be in this week's stellar pattern. Discretion is in order—for most members of your sign. One other thing? Check your grooming.

SCORPIO
Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

Telling the truth is one thing; at whose expense is another. This week, it seems as though you will receive data or evidence that could harm an associate.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

According to your chart, things will get worse—before they improve. A major reversal will prove to be an advantage, in the long haul.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

Look for a behind the scene romance to affect your job, task or project, in one form or another. Incidentally, it's not a good week for speculations.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

Your chart is painted with a broad brush of optimism. A series of events, this week, will inspire you with new ambitions.

PISCES
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

Many under your sign, must wait out a bad situation that has now developed with members of the opposite sex. Other Pisceans must guard valuables.

PERSONALITY PROFILE

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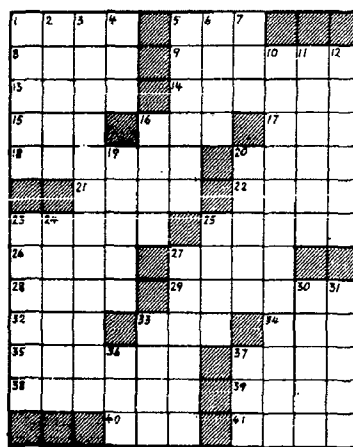
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- Make a recording
- Moslem ruler
- South African plant
- Kill fabric
- Ringlet
- Titter; giggle
- Roadside restaurant
- Nothing
- Pitcher's statistic (abbr.)
- Picket
- Where Ruth was sultan
- Husband
- Noggin
- Stratum
- Split
- Bombay garb
- Critic's lipanna
- Supposition
- Samuel's teacher
- Make public
- Sonner than
- the gas (2 wds.)
- Kind of wave
- Hauling
- Verdi's slave girl
- French marsh
- Proof reading direction

DOWN

- Unspoken
- "You'll Never Walk"
- Opinions (3 wds.)
- Electric
- Raiment
- Scottish Highlander
- "My Defenses — Down"
- In my opinion (5 wds.)
- Charge with air or gas
- Less a mess
- Field of granular snow
- Celerity
- Good bowling score
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- Parasitism
- Sultan's decree
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford.

Jack Millikin, Inc.,

a Michigan Corporation

vs

George Zannis and

Sharon A. Zannis.

DEFENDANTS

Order to Answer Publications.

On the 6th day of August,

1973 an action was filed by Jack

Millikin, Inc., a Michigan Corporation,

as Plaintiff against

George Zannis and Sharon A. Zannis,

his wife, for Partition of certain real property located within the County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, George Zannis, shall answer to take such other action as may be permitted by law, on or before the 7th day of June, 1974. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgement by Default against such Defendant for relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.

Dated: April 29, 1974

Daniel F. Walsh

Circuit Judge

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Attorneys & Counselors at Law

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County Board of Commissioners Minutes

Special meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 1st day of May 1974.

Meeting called to order by Earl H. Longworth, Chairman.
Roll Call: Bernard J. Bourrie, Lawrence Gust, Earl H. Longworth, Bernard Maurer, Albert Westervelt - Present. Fred Kauffman, Dean Welch - Absent.

Special call was read.

April 19, 1974
Mr. Leo E. Lovely
Crawford County Clerk
Grayling, Michigan 49738

Dear Mr. Lovely:

We, the undersigned, do herewith call a Special Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners for Wednesday, May 1, 1974, at 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of discussing personnel procedures.

Commissioners: E.H. Longworth
Bernard J. Bourrie
Bernard Maurer
Albert Westervelt
Lawrence Gust

Letter from Charles Minner & Associates, Management Consultants, was read and referred to the County Clerk to answer.

The Board met with county employees, and talked to department heads and personnel in regard to operation of the time clock, and other personnel details.

After this meeting, the Board met with the department heads for further discussion.

MOTION by Gust, second by Bourrie, that the County go on 2 week pay periods starting May 1st to May 15th, with the pay checks issued on May 17th. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, second by Maurer, that the time clock be put in operation on May 1, 1974. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, second by Bourrie, to adjourn. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 13th day of May 1974.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Longworth.

Roll Call: James Bourrie, Lawrence Gust, Fred Kauffman, Earl H. Longworth, Bernard Maurer, Dean Welch, Albert Westervelt. All Present.

Invocation by Mr. Kauffman.

HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman. Mr. Kauffman attended meetings at Cadillac on April 18th, at Lansing on April 30th, and at Shanty Creek on May 1st. Mr. Kauffman explained House Bill 1268 regarding expenses of District Health Departments.

Mr. Jeremy Jones requested maps and aerial photos for the Soil Conservation District. Two townships are to be completed by May 31st.

ALLOCATION COMMITTEE REPORT by Gust. Mr. Gust reported that the County will lose 1/4 mill this year, which will be given to the schools, also that the County will lose \$70,000.00 this year on the Revenue Sharing Program. Discussion was held on the change of millage.

Joe Durga, Animal Control Officer, presented letter of resignation to the Board. Mr. Durga was given the floor, and he explained that he would rather be under the jurisdiction of the Board of Commissioners than the Sheriff. He told of a meeting held May 10 between the Law Enforcement Committee, Sheriff, and Chairman Longworth, in regards to Dog Law administration. He also talked to the Board about the dog census in the County. Sheriff Hatfield was present at this discussion.

MOTION by Kauffman, second by Welch, that Joe Durga, Animal Control Officer, be placed back under the jurisdiction of the Board of Commissioners. Roll Call Kauffman, Welch - Aye. Bourrie, Gust, Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt - No. Motion Failed. Chairman Longworth recommended that the Sheriff, Animal Control Officer, and Personnel Committee meet and resolve this matter. Effective as of this date, the Board accepted the resignation of Mr. Durga as Animal Control Officer. After long discussion, Mr. Durga took back his letter of resignation, and will meet with the Personnel Committee. Sheriff Hatfield in an effort to resolve this matter.

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT by Maurer. Mr. Maurer reported that some lights in the parking area will be turned off at 11:30 p.m. to conserve energy and expense. At the same time Commissioner Welch was asked by the Sheriff Department to have a flood light placed in the area where confiscated cars are being held.

Mr. Earl Lyle, of the Mental Health Clinic, talked to the Board about space for their clinic, as the space they are now using in the rectory is needed by the church. The Board made a suggestion about obtaining a building from the DNR for their use. Mr. Lyle also discussed legislation in regards to changes in the hospital rates between the county and the state. He also explained how their Mental Health Clinic helps patients to get out of hospitals and on outpatient treatment.

BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT by Maurer. He reported that Charles Easterly, Custodian, has started painting the outside of the County Building and needed scaffolding, which will cost about \$200.00. Mr. Maurer was authorized to purchase scaffolding. After discussion about sealing the blacktop parking lot, this matter was tabled for a short period.

ROADS & BRIDGES COMMITTEE REPORT Mr. Kauffman reported that the road between Steckert and Stephan Bridge is being blacktopped, also some roads in Maple Forest Township.

PARKS COMMISSION REPORT by Kauffman. Word has been received that the walk bridge will be here by June 15, and will be erected by the National Guard.

Letter was read to the Board from James T. Weadock regarding insurance counselors.

MOTION by Welch, second by Kauffman, that the Chairman look further into obtaining insurance counseling. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Letter from Joe LaGrow, Farm Bureau Insurance, in regard to all kinds of insurance, was read and placed on file.

Minutes of Roscommon & Crawford Soil Conservation District were referred to the Board and placed on file.

Minutes and agenda of Northeast Michigan Regional Planning Commission were filed.

Letter from DNR explained procedures in making changes in zoning ordinances. This was read and placed on file.

Letter from Northern Counties Association was read to the Board, expressing deep appreciation for the use of the County Building for their meetings.

Letter from Interstate Commerce Commission was read in regard to railroad hearings on disbanding certain tracks.

Chairman Longworth explained to the Board that there will be

Road Commissioners Minutes

May 10, 1974

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Richter presiding. Members present, Commissioners Ervin E. Richter, Harold T. Johnson and Lawrence Mattis. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Mattis that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Mark Meyers, Manager, South Branch Ranch, appeared in regard to seeding and mulching of slopes in the plat of "South Branch Ranch #3". The Board agreed to accept \$3000.00 in lieu of performance bond, the seeding and mulching to be accomplished within 18 months of date of signed agreement.

Bernie Fowler, Supervisor, Grayling Township, appeared in regard to maintenance of roads and streets on the East side of Lake Margrethe.

Agreements were signed with Roscommon County Road Commission, for improvements to County Line Road 203 with the intention of assuming jurisdiction over Co. Road 203 upon completion of such improvements by Roscommon County Road Commission.

An application was received from General Telephone Company for a permit to bury cable across Twin Bridge Road. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

An application was received from Consumers Power Company for a permit to construct a wood pole line from a pole on Myrtle Street to the residence of Donald J. Wilson in Frederic. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

Following the business meeting a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/Ervin E. Richter, Chairman
/s/Florence S. Douglas, Secretary

no EDA grants for sewer and water projects in 1974, but they will begin again in 1975.

Letter from the Milltown Festival was read. Organizational meeting was held on April 9th, next meeting will be April 23rd at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. James Keighley appeared before the Board in regards to locks on the Social Services vault. Discussion was held on payment of rent.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT by Gust. Mr. Gust reported that a special meeting was held in regards to use of the time clock.

MOTION by Kauffman, second by Gust, to remove the time clock and employees do not have to punch in and out. Roll Call. Kauffman, Longworth - Aye. Bourrie, Gust, Maurer, Welch, Westervelt - No. Motion Failed.

MOTION by Welch, second by Gust, to pay authorized overtime if so noted on the time card, and all overtime to be approved by the heads of the departments. Roll Call. Welch, Bourrie, Westervelt, Longworth - Aye. Gust, Kauffman, Maurer - No. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Maurer, second by Bourrie, that the department heads be allowed discriminatory power for compensatory time during each working day, and not to exceed 15 minutes each day. Roll Call. Maurer, Bourrie, Gust, Westervelt, Longworth - Aye. Kauffman, Welch - No. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Welch, second by Maurer, that any Board member may authorize overtime for the Custodial Department. Roll Call. Welch, Maurer, Bourrie, Gust, Kauffman, Westervelt - All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Maurer, second by Bourrie, that there will be no deductions in the first pay period starting May 1st, due to the orientation of the time clock. Roll Call. Maurer, Bourrie, Gust, Longworth, Westervelt - Aye. Kauffman, Welch - No. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Maurer, second by Welch, that all overtime is to be paid during the pay period when earned. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Sheriff Hatfield appeared before the Board. He reported that he had sold one wrecked and one old police car for a total of \$655.00, and money was turned over to the General Fund of the County. He asked for authorization to buy paint for the inside of the jail, and it was granted. He also asked about the Marine storage building, which was turned over to the Committee to investigate. The prisoners are cleaning up the town along the tracks and alleys. The Sheriff asked permission to enter into contract with the U.S. Federal Forest Department whereby they would check out Kniff Lake camp site, and the County would be remunerated for same. Contract would also be operable under the Snowmobile Program.

Mr. Harold Jostock, from the Manpower Office, was called in about the WINN Program. Mr. Jostock and the Sheriff will check the possibility of getting a man from this program for the Sheriff Department.

The Board held a discussion on the portion of the City Building which belongs to the Marine Department, as to the rent the City wants to charge. Chairman Longworth requested Commissioners Gust, Welch and Westervelt to go to the City Council meeting of this date to check this.

MOTION by Maurer, second by Westervelt, that Richard Selthofer be authorized to take the dog census for the County at the rate of 40 cents per dog, with the exception of Beaver Creek Township which has been taken. Roll Call. Maurer, Westervelt, Bourrie, Gust, Kauffman, Longworth, Welch - All Aye. Motion Carried.

County Treasurer, Joseph Wakeley, appeared before the Board in regards to dog licenses. It was recommended by Commissioner Bourrie that the Treasurer check the dog law on licenses and report back to the next meeting of the Board.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Gust. Your Committee on Finance would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, and that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

| Name Of Claimant | Character Claim | Allowed & Rejected |
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| Gen. Telephone of Mich. | Telephone Service | 406.03 |
| Consumers Power Co. | Electrical Service | 461.25 |
| Michigan Con. Gas | Gas Service | 499.07 |
| Oshtemo County Clerk | Crit. Crt. Exp. & Sal. | 4147.55 |
| Crawford Co. Avalanche | Printing & Supplies | 312.84 |
| Curtiss Reporting | Recorder Lease & Tapes | 121.08 |
| Drs. Dosch & Burkley | Prof. Services | 105.00 |
| Doubleday Bros. & Co. | Office Supplies | 363.57 |
| Charlotte Walter | Dist. Crt. Steno Exp. | 35.20 |
| Irene E. Wyman | Conv. Exp. | 58.02 |
| Miller Hardware | Equip. & Supplies | 22.11 |
| Automotive Parts & Supply | Equip. & Supplies | 98.71 |
| Hoerls Decorating Shop | Bldg. Main. | 38.98 |
| Off-Ser-Co | Janitor Supplies | 7.45 |
| Steindler Paper Co. | Janitor Supplies | 85.16 |
| Charles Easterly | Mileage | 52.72 |
| Wares Bros. Off. Supply | Computer | 1885.27 |
| Cornell Agency, Inc. | Ins. | 77.00 |
| Cinton Office Equipment | Time Clock & Access. | 188.37 |
| I.B.M. | Off. Supplies | 18.00 |
| Grayling Office Supply | Off. Supplies | 110.98 |
| Star Office Supply | Off. Supplies | 5.30 |
| Singer Business Machines | Office Supplies | 8.04 |
| Larry Hunter | Equal. Dir. Exp. | 71.92 |
| Rolla Failing | Bldg. Insp. Exp. | 136.64 |
| Shell Oil Co. | Gas & Repairs | 15.00 |
| Mac's Drug Store | Equip. & Supplies | 206.00 |
| Promart | Equip. & Supplies | 46.03 |
| Bill Hart Ford | Auto Repair | 189.88 |
| Charles Fick | Gasoline | 1211.40 |
| Total Leonard | Gasoline | 38.75 |
| Joseph White | Travel & Repair | 43.00 |
| Amoco Oil Co. | Gasoline | 19.07 |
| Commercial Electronics | Radio Main. | 95.00 |
| Motorola Inc. | Radio Main. | 374.40 |
| Municipal Supplies Co. | Uniform Access. | 25.50 |
| Robert A. Grantra | Uniforms | 109.74 |
| Fachtmotor Motor Co. | Equip. & Supplies | 33.80 |
| DuBois Lumber | Equip. & Supplies | 13.02 |
| Tufts Dist. | Equip. & Supplies | 17.40 |
| Riker Bldg. Material, Inc. | Supplies | 15.00 |
| Houghton Lake Resorter | Off. Supplies | 36.15 |
| Ockey's CO2 | Amb. Supplies | 54.00 |
| Taylor Doyle, Inc. | Amb. Supplies | 69.78 |
| American Red Cross | Supplies | 39.00 |
| Cadillac Overal Supply | Linen Supplies | 47.08 |
| Bill's Laundry & Dry Cleaning | Dry Cleaning | 35.13 |
| Joyce Easterly | Matron Duty | 5.00 |
| Wegner Hardware | Supplies | .86 |
| C. & K. Service | Equip. Repair | 33.70 |
| Share Corp. | Insecticide | 174.02 |
| Montgomery Ward | Dryer | 195.93 |
| Beaver Creek Twp. Treasurer | Dog Census | 66.80 |
| Willard Bosserman | Coop. Ext. Agent Exp. | 172.71 |
| Jan Jenks | Matron Duty | 5.00 |
| Xerox Corp. | Metered Usage | 127.26 |
| Crwld. Cnty. Rd. Comm. | Airport Exp. | 9.96 |
| Treasurer of the U.S. | Airport Exp. | 450.00 |
| James Mar. | Beacon Main. | 40.00 |
| Clara Miller | Livestock Damage | 6.00 |
| Crawford Co. Rd. Com. | Snowmobile Signs | 1250.00 |
| Edith Paul | Planning Com. Exp. | 115.00 |
| Harold Mertes | Planning Com. Exp. | 109.00 |
| Jeremy Jones | Planning Com. Exp. | 142.40 |
| Don Jansen | Planning Com. Exp. | 80.80 |
| Jerry Morford | Planning Com. Exp. | 130.10 |
| Ben Franklin Store | Supplies | 4.46 |
| Shanty Creek Lodge | Marine Training | 161.80 |
| Physicians Desk Reference | Book for Lab | 12.00 |
| Medical Economics, Inc. | Lab Supplies | 10.84 |

MOTION by Welch, second by Gust, that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted and approved. Roll Call. Welch, Gust, Bourrie, Kauffman, Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt - All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, second by Welch, that the bills of the Road Commissioners be approved in the amount of \$147.07. Roll Call. Gust, Welch, Bourrie, Kauffman Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt - All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, second by Westervelt, to set \$150.00 per week salary for Rolla Failing. Roll Call. Gust, Westervelt, Bourrie, Kauffman, Longworth, Maurer, Welch - All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Roy Papenfus, Zoning Director, appeared before the Board. The Board inquired when he would be back at work full time. This will be in about one week. Discussion was held on the cost of rezoning.

MOTION by Maurer, second by Bourrie, that the rezoning fee be \$50.00, payable on application. Roll Call. Maurer, Bourrie, Gust, Kauffman, Longworth, Westervelt - Aye. Welch - No. Motion Carried.

Mr. Papenfus discussed several of the lots in Indian Glens of the AuSable No. 6 Plat, as to size and not conforming to the zoning ordinance.

MOTION by Welch, second by Gust, that no fee be charged for the following:

CRAWFORD COUNTY RURAL ZONING ORDINANCE
20-5-71

AMEND. SEC. 3.20 PARAGRAPH B TO READ

Before any travel trailer, camper or motor home shall be used for temporary occupancy outside a licensed park or state campground, the owner must obtain a permit from the Zoning Director and meet adequate sanitation regulation such as set forth in part in Sec. 4 Par. 4.21 Sanitary Code for District Health Department No. 1 State of Michigan:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to occupy or permit to be occupied any premise which is not equipped with adequate facilities for the disposal of sewage in a sanitary manner. Such facilities shall be constructed in accordance with these regulations."

and in Sec. 4 Par 4.17 Sanitary Code for District Health Dept. No. 1 State of Michigan:

"A sewage disposal facility shall mean and privy, cesspool, drywell, flush toilet, sewer pipe, septic tank, sub-surface disposal system, or any similar contrivance used in the disposal of sewage whether specifically named herein or not."

Septic systems will be required where electricity is available. No such vehicle shall be occupied more than thirty (30) days in each calendar year.

Roll Call. Welch - Aye. Bourrie, Gust, Kauffman, Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt - No. Motion Failed.

MOTION by Gust, second by Westervelt, to charge \$5.00 permit fee for Amended Sec. 3.20 PARAGRAPH B as above. Roll Call. Gust, Westervelt, Bourrie, Kauffman, Longworth, Maurer - Aye. Welch - No. Motion Carried.

Mr. Dean Welch reported on Northern Counties Association meeting. Legislation on Greenbelt, Canoe Livery Licensing and District Court costs was discussed at that meeting. All Counties north of Town Line 16 will be coming into the Northern Counties Association.

Mr. Gust reported on the Sanitary Land Fill. Barring unforeseen delays, the land fill should be open June 1st.

Bills of the several Commissioners were allowed as follows:

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| Bernard J. Bourrie | 110.00 |
| Lawrence E. Gust | 250.02 |
| Fred Kauffman | 189.92 |
| Earl H. Longworth | 385.68 |
| Bernard Maurer | 110.00 |
| Dean L. Welch | 153.84 |
| Albert A. Westervelt | 50.00 |

MOTION by Welch, second by Bourrie, to adjourn. Roll Call.

Earl H. Longworth, Chairman
Leo E. Lovely, Clerk

Resources On Mars

Recent studies of Mars indicate that the planet's dust consists of minerals that include some 60 percent silicon dioxide, a concentration close to the average for the Earth's crust.

Summertime Warning

In the good old summertime, the American Cancer Society has an old refrain: use common sense in the sun—beware of over-exposure. That's the best way to prevent skin cancer.

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Applications Available For U.S. Service Academies

WASHINGTON — Applications are now being accepted for classes entering United States Service Academies in July, 1975, Congressman Philip E. Ruppe, R-Houghton, announced today.

All young men interested in applying for nomination, and who are legal residents of the 11th Congressional District of Michigan, should write to Congressman Philip E. Ruppe, 203 Cannon House Office Building in Washington, D.C. 20515. The closing date for submitting applications is September 30, 1974.

The 11th District will have vacancies at all four Service Academies - Military, Naval, Air Force, and Merchant Marine. The United States Coast Guard Academy offers appointments solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition. There are no Congressional

appointments, as at the other service academies, nor are there geographic quotas. Young men interested in appointment to the Coast Guard Academy should write directly to: Director of Admissions, United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn. 06320.

Of special interest to young men in the 11th Congressional District is the Great Lakes Maritime Academy, a division of Northwestern Michigan College. The Great Lakes Maritime Academy offers a three year program preparing young men to serve as officers aboard Great Lakes Ships. Interested Young men should contact the Dean of Admissions, Northwestern Michigan College, 1701 Front Street, Traverse City, Michigan 49684.

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City Council Proceedings

Special Meeting of the City Council held Monday, May 20, 1974 at 7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor McEvers.

Roll Call: Councilmen present: McEvers, Palmer, Bovee, Golinick and Hanson. Councilmen absent: None. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager and Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer.

Mr. Morford reported on a meeting with Bernard Fowler, Robert Golinick and Joseph White about the fire station bids. They recommended that the bids of Omega Construction Company and Gorten-Modjeska, Inc. be rejected as too high and that we meet with the other contractors to discuss both metal and masonry type buildings. Motion by Golinick, supported by Palmer that the City Manager proceed as recommended and report back at the May 28th regular meeting. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried.

The proposed 1974-75 city operating budget was discussed at length. Councilmen asked a number of questions about various line items. The budget, as revised by Council, will be prepared for public hearing on May 28, 1974 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers as per previous notice.

Motion by Golinick, supported by Hanson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11:55 p.m.

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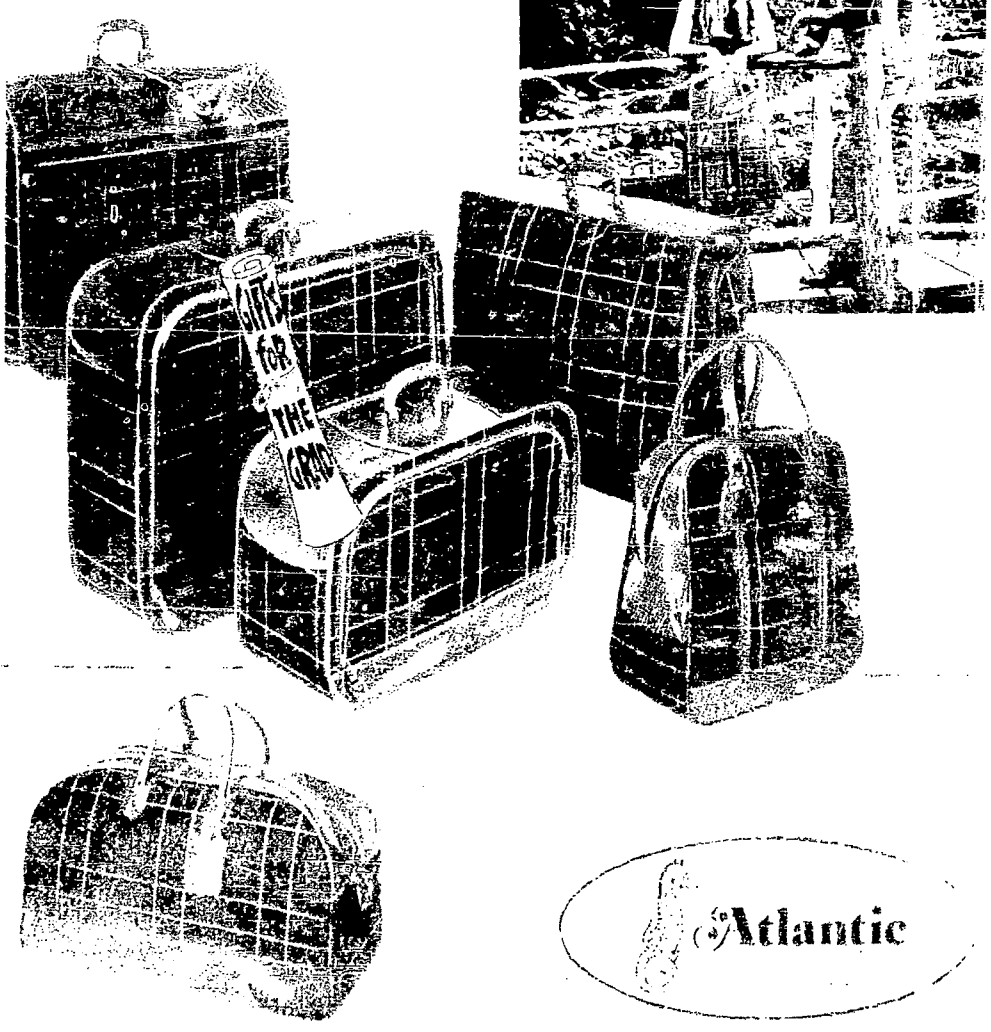
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Cost of Welfare Soon May Exceed That of Education

LANSING—State Officials agree it is a disturbing thought but if the present trend in welfare costs continue, it won't be long before Michigan taxpayers will be paying more for welfare than for education, according to Sen. John Toepp.

Welfare costs already far outstrip the state's cost of supporting its institutions of higher learning and officials fear it may not be long before they will exceed state support of public schools, which this year is about \$1.2 billion.

Looking at it another way, within the near future fiscal experts expect the state to be paying about \$1 billion a year for welfare. Just 20 years ago this would have covered all state government costs - including welfare, education, highways, parks, corrections and all other state services, Sen. Toepp said.

The disturbing news comes from the January social services statistics published by the state department of social services.

The sharply rising cost of welfare in recent months results primarily from two things - increased unemployment and increased cost of living for welfare cases.

The January report shows that in the last five months, the caseload has increased by 2,310 families a month compared with the five - month average increase of 811 families a month.

The total caseload could exceed 200,000 a month shortly if that present rate of increase continues. Such a caseload would put the annual welfare expenditures in Michigan to \$1.3 billion, or almost three times the present state support of higher education. Figures are not yet tabulated for April but social services officials are expecting that between 1,800 and 2,000 new cases were added last month.

The money being spent on families with dependent children and children of unemployed could finance all of the state's colleges for four years or pay for the operation of all except one of the state's 19 departments for a year.

When the proposed state budget for the next fiscal year starting July 1 was prepared, the governor included \$372.6 million in state funds for welfare but state officials are certain that this will be greatly exceeded before the next fiscal year ends. At the present rate of increase, the new fiscal year will open with 187,700 cases on the rolls compared with the average of 184,000 anticipated in the governor's proposed budget. The rate of increase has risen almost 400 percent since 1968-69, when the average monthly increase was only 496 new cases.

It is interesting to note that average Medicaid payments in January increased more than 20 percent over December and more than 46 percent over the average of just one year ago, Sen. Toepp added.

Cherry County Playhouse In 20th Year

Michigan's first Star System Theatre opens its doors on Tuesday, July 2nd. Ruth Bailey, Producer of the Cherry County Playhouse has announced plans for the 20th anniversary year. "We have an unusually varied list of stars and plays," Miss Bailey said, "and we look forward to an exciting year."

Among the television stars coming to the popular Traverse City Playhouse, Forrest Tucker is well remembered for his long running series "P. T. Barnum" and more recently has been seen in "Dusty Trail". Mr. Tucker will introduce his daughter to Traverse City audiences as she will appear with him in "Rock-A-Bye Daddy." Robert Reed, for the past few seasons the star of "The Brady Bunch" will be seen in the comedy "Wake up Darling." And Leonard Nimoy, the well known Mr. Spock of "Star Trek" will join the company to do last seasons Broadway hit "6 RMS RIV VU."

The playing week is Tuesday through Friday at 8:30 p.m., Saturday 5 p.m. and 9:30 p.m., Sunday 7:30 p.m. and Thursday Matinee 2:00 p.m. During the Cherry Festival Week, July 9 through 14, curtain time is 9:00 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 2:30 p.m. Wednesday.

As always, season tickets and group discount rates are available. Further information may be obtained by writing Box 661, Traverse City, Michigan 49684.

Students

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tion cards, aided the nurses, prepared collection bags, prepared the full bags for testing and storage, aided people to seats after they donated and saw that all donors had juices, soft drinks, water, cookies, donuts and other snacks.

A special thanks is due to Goodale's Bakery which donated 200 donuts to the donors to help get them back on their feet, and additional thanks to Mrs. Goodhue and her volunteers that helped us to set up our first Blood Bank.

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